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## Marion Remembers America's Heroes

**By Sarah K. Taylor**

A crowd gathered on Memorial Day, May 31, 2010, at the Music Hall in Marion to remember those serving in the armed forces, both past and present. The Sippican School Band practiced as the many parents, siblings, friends and neighbors took photos and straightened last-minute hair and sheets of music.

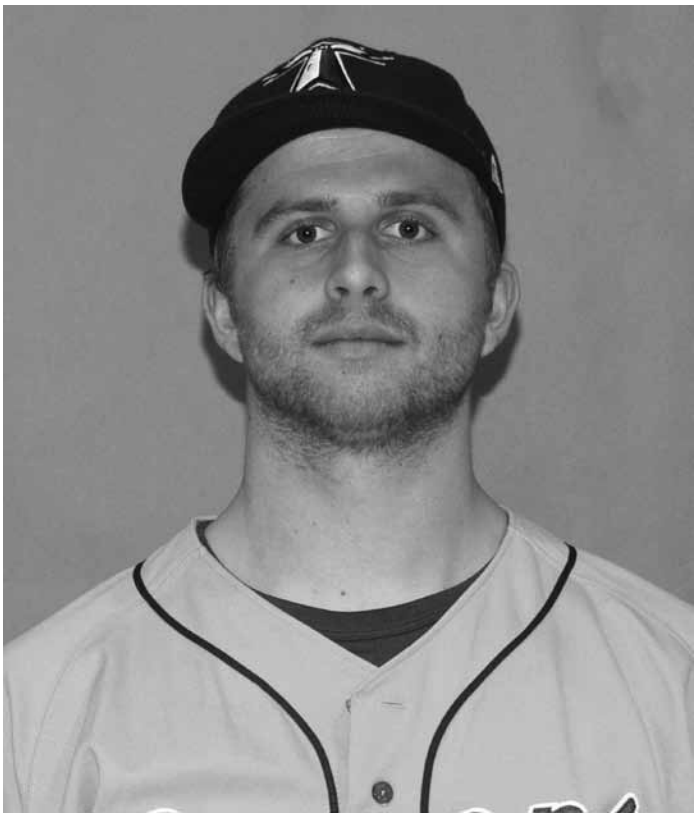
The day was beautiful and sunny, although there was a haze of smoke from Canadian wildfires in the air. As the day progressed, the haze became thicker, which was fitting given the guns and the memory of war.

At 9:00 am, the Benjamin D. Cushing Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2425 began with the raising of the colors. The National Anthem was sung beautifully, as well as a song titled *Tenting Tonight* by Old Rochester Regional graduate Chelsie Nectow. Even the young children were hushed to hear the patriotic music ringing in the air. The Gettysburg Address was delivered by Ian Vincent and then the Portuguese American Band played.

The firefighters, police and EMT's were acknowledged for all the hard work they do for the town of Marion.

A wreath was laid as a symbol of our remembrance, and a small flag was placed in front of the Civil War monument in front of the Music Hall. Guns were fired in tribute to lives lost in battle, and the march to the Town Hall began.

The boy and girl scouts led the parade, followed by the Portuguese American Band, a procession of cars,



*Above: Mattapoisett resident, Old Rochester Regional Class of 2009 graduate and UMass Boston freshman Tom Cole helped pitch his team into the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division III College World Series with an amazing performance at a May 22, 2010 regional tournament. Photo courtesy of UMass Dartmouth.*

*On the cover: The Mattapoisett Memorial Day service on May 31, 2010, honored the lives of all those who served in the armed forces, particularly this year's honored veteran, Lt. Chris Byron, a Rochester resident and decorated Korean War veteran who passed away in March 2010. Pictured here from left to right: Barry Denham, Selectmen Jordan Collyer and George Randall were among the attendees at the service and parade.*

*Above: Garbage bags containing debris are tossed, and office equipment airs out on the lawn of the Mattapoisett police station on May 31, 2010. The station was closed due to water damage from a burst pipe during Memorial Day weekend, 2010. Photo by Anne O'Brien-Kakley.*

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and in the rear the blue and black clad Sippican School Band. The Band had obviously been practicing day and night, for they hit every note, marched in time and were incredibly in sync.

At the bandstand by the Town Hall, another singer performed for the crowd, bagpipes were played and more speeches of remembrance were given. The band then dispersed and lingering people chatted and children played while the Sippican School kids ran to put their instruments away.

## News Blog Wrap-up

Don't forget that *The Wanderer* has an online news blog with updates in between issues. Visit www.Wanderer.com to check it out. Also, find *The Wanderer* on Facebook and get a chance to participate in our Facebook Fun Fridays gift card giveaway.

• **Mattapoisett Police Station Remains Closed** – A force-pressure water pipe on the second floor of the Mattapoisett Police Station burst on the evening of May 28, forcing the station to close for Memorial Day weekend. As *The Wanderer* is going to print on June 1, the station building will remain closed until further notice.

According to Chief Mary Lyons, "Substantial amounts of water flowed into the station prior to getting the water shut off. Water poured down to the first floor and basement." Chief Lyons described the building damage being "extensive" as a result.

Mattapoisett's communication center has been operating out of the police station parking lot using the Plymouth County Sheriff's Department Mobile Command Center. This mobile command center will take care of the town's 911 system, telephone system and computer system. Otherwise, the police station building will remain closed until the damage can be addressed.


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*By Anne O'Brien-Kakley*

• **Village Accident Involves Crowded SUV** – A Mattapoisett village accident closed off a section of North Street from the corner of North and Church to the corner of North and Water Streets just a couple hours before Memorial Day activities on May 31. A large chunk of a silver door part was lying in the middle of the intersection of North and Church shortly after the accident, before emergency workers cleaned up the scene.

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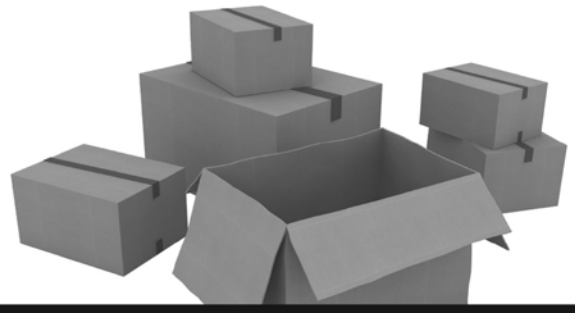

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There were no reports of serious injuries, despite the fact that one of the automobiles – a crossover vehicle – might have been carrying as many as ten people.

As reported on the police radio, it appears that all occupants of the crowded crossover SUV involved in the accident were immigrants without proper identification. Immigrant Custom Enforcement (ICE) was called to investigate. The occupants of the crowded SUV were later taken to an undisclosed location in a Council on Aging van.

*By Anne O'Brien-Kakley*

• **Hazy Days in the Tri-Town** – It's hard to believe, but the haze that clung to the air in the Tri-Town on Memorial Day was a little gift from our northern neighbors.

As Canada battled wildfires in Central Quebec, reports of a haze and smell of wood smoke rolled in to the fire station in Mattapoisett. Although the fire department responded to the various calls, they attributed the haze and smell to the wildfires burning over 250 miles away. Firewatchers from a Plymouth county tower also reported very heavy smoke in the area, with reduced visibility.

According to the National Weather Service, a northerly wind brought the smoke down throughout New England, making conditions hazardous for those with asthma and breathing problems. According to Canadian officials, there were 50 different fires blazing, with eight of them burning out of control.

*By Anne O'Brien-Kakley*

## Sippican Gets New Playground

**By Laura Pedulli**

Volunteers often are the driving force behind the good works that improve the lives of school children. The fingerprints of volunteers are especially apparent on a

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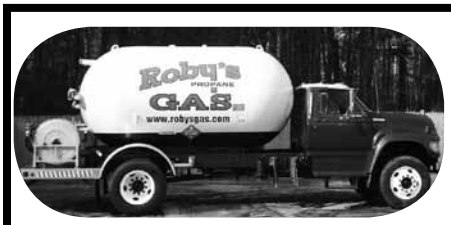


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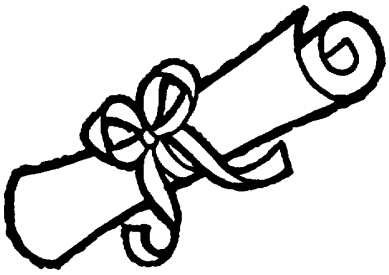

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new $23,809 playground installed in the back of Marion's Sippican Elementary School last week.

Without the organization VASE – Volunteers at Sippican Elementary – it is unlikely the dream of new playground equipment in the back of the school would have been realized. VASE, which includes parents, teachers and community members, is a well-oiled machine that provides innumerable services to the school. For example, the organization funds enrichment activities – such as field trips and special performers and presentations – for the children's benefit. In addition, VASE supports teachers and staffers with its free book distribution program and the group is entirely responsible for the Sippican phone book.

The new playground is VASE's latest endeavor. According to VASE President Rania Lavranos, the organization first decided to pursue a new playground in the spring of 2008. VASE members wanted a playground in the back as a play alternative during recess. The new equipment is different from the traditional stairs and slides as it is uniquely designed to build upper body strength. "I hope it gets the kids working those biceps a bit," Ms. Lavranos said of the climbing-oriented playground, which is geared for children between 5 and 12 years of age.

In addition to offering an additional play area, the new equipment occupies children while parents cheer on siblings participating in baseball. "Parents have been saying thank you," said Ms. Lavranos. In the past, "kids were twiddling their thumbs and playing on a rock," during the baseball games, she said. School Committee Vice Chairman Brad Gordon is among the parents whose child already has taken advantage of the playground during a sibling's game.

Sippican children also are thrilled, according to Interim Principal Lyn Rivet. "Students at every grade level were very excited to have a play alternative for their recess," she said. Prior to the new equipment, Sippican students only had access to a playground – situated in the front of the building – on alternate days due to scheduling limitations.

In total, VASE bankrolled $19,409 of the new

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playground equipment costs with monies accumulated from years of fundraisers and grants; the School Board Committee provided $4,400 for site plan costs. Once workers completed the equipment's installation, volunteers came out to spread mulch throughout the playground.

Ongoing VASE fundraisers that helped fund the playground include the organization's annual fall fundraiser, a holiday poinsettia sale, wine tasting and silent auction events, and general catalogue sales. According to Ms. Lavranos, the adult-themed events currently are popular and bring in good receipts. In addition to fundraisers, VASE receives grant support from the Braitmayer Foundation.

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For now, "everyone has been loving" the new playground, Ms. Lavranos said. "It has all been good; the kids have been enjoying it."

## RMS Building Groundbreaking Makes History

**By Laura Pedulli**

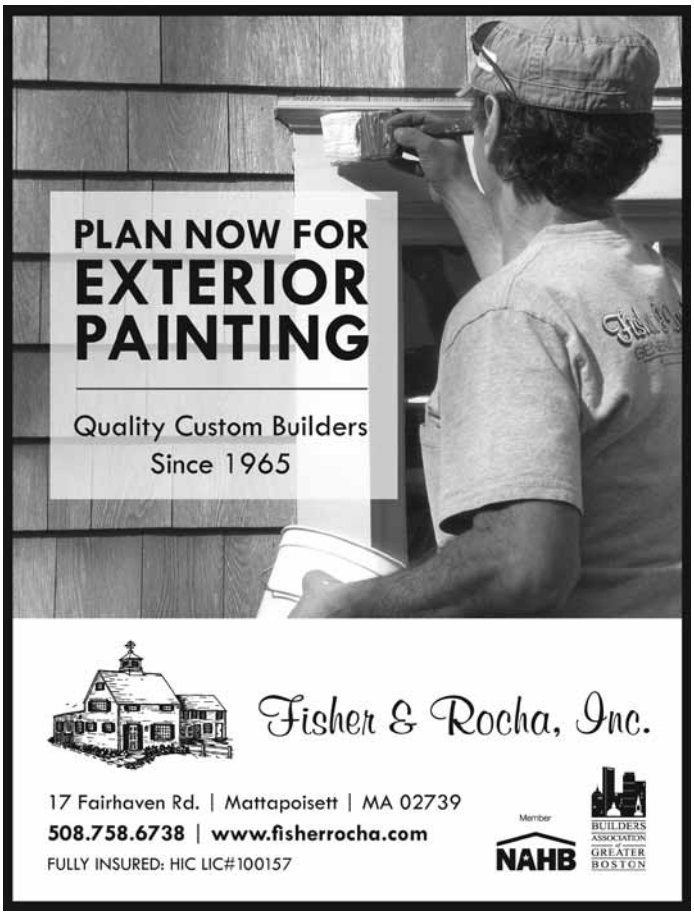
May 28, 2010 is a date worthy of notation in the annals of Rochester history.

After seven years of persistence, the Rochester Memorial School Building Committee celebrated the official groundbreaking for a $26 million school building expansion and renovation project that will benefit generations of Rochester children.

More than two dozen students sporting hardhats and shovels spread a symbolic mound of dirt like confetti to celebrate the groundbreaking. Jubilation spread on the faces of administrators – including Superintendent Douglas White and RMS Principal Jay Ryan – as well as RMS building committee members, architects and builders, and town officials.

"I think we should all say thank you to all of the adults that are here… let's thank them and let them know that we appreciate what they are doing for us," said Principal Ryan, leading the students to collectively offer a hearty "thank you."

With a shovel in hand, the man of the hour – RMS School Building Committee Chairman Arnie Johnson –

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flanked by his two children who are current students at RMS – tossed some dirt from the pile. "Today is a great day… seven years in the making," he said, adding, "It is great having the kids out here."

Overall, the new two-story, 34,000 square foot school building will house a new art room and 14 classrooms, in addition to tutorial and special education facilities. The façade of the addition will mirror the existing building, with similar red bricks and windows. The upcoming building renovations are all-encompassing and will include a new septic system, a 100 percent electrical upgrade, plumbing and technology upgrades, new wells, oil tanks and fire code compliances.

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no easy task. The RMS Committee originally spearheaded the effort in 2003, but faced a major setback when the town rejected a tax override to fund an expansion in 2004. "We only lost by 54 votes, and there were 51 blank ballots. We ended up with some voter apathy," recalled Mr. Johnson. However, when the Massachusetts School Building Authority began accepting applications for state aid, the committee worked with the selectmen and school board committee to submit a statement of interest. The application sat in the agency's queue for three years. In the end, the MSBA funded $16 million of the total $26 million project cost.

The expertise on the 16-member committee, which included six non-voting members, was crucial in obtaining state assistance. According to Mr. Johnson, aside from one previous member, the group remained intact during the entire seven years. "It's a dream team … I'm pretty proud of that committee; the technical expertise just covers all of the disciplines," Mr. Johnson said, noting that the committee make-up includes teachers, administrators and engineers. "It actually threw the MSBA off and threw the architects off. They are used to rah-rah guys coming in asking for a 5,000-seat field house and wall paneling in their offices," he said.

Throughout the whole process the committee "stuck together" and remained "very active even though there wasn't a lot going on publicly," Mr. Johnson said.

In comments on the groundbreaking, Selectman Rick Nunes expressed thanks for the committee's hard work. "I just want to thank all those individuals who were involved in the [project]. Let's hope this addition suffices for many years to come," he said.

In the meantime, Gilbane – which was awarded the contract last fall – and its builders are hard at work in the back of the school installing a new septic system and gearing up for major construction over the summer. So far, the project already is four weeks ahead of schedule.

On June 22, the current building will be emptied in preparation for two months of intensive renovation work and construction. Once the fall school year kicks in, students will be isolated from construction areas and if everything goes as scheduled, they will occupy the


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addition following the winter break, Mr. Johnson said. The entire project is slated for completion by the fall of 2011.

"I'm real satisfied as I stand here and see everything happening. A lot of people put seven years into this; it is good to see something come out of years of hard work… it is going to outlast us, that's for sure," Mr. Johnson said.

## Rochester Enjoys Another Memorial Boat Race

**By Anne O'Brien-Kakley**

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weather couldn't have been more beautiful for a boat race this past Monday. The temperature was a balmy 70 degrees and the wind was hardly rustling the trees.

The low water level this year, on the other hand, was a little bit of an obstacle.

The Mattapoisett River route, which ran from Grandma Hartley's Reservoir on Snipatuit Road in Rochester to Mattapoisett's Herring Weir on Route 6, included low-water areas where rowers could get snagged in reeds and mud. Most of the participants wore water shoes to navigate through shallow waters and across land bridges.

Participants in the Boat Race were mainly from Rochester and Mattapoisett, but some came all the way from Hamden, CT, Concord, NH and Lincoln, RI. Other outlying towns, like Middleboro, East Freetown, Wareham and New Bedford were also represented.

The Rochester fire department organized this annual event, and said that there were 90 boats on the course this year. The route follows the river through ponds and bogs and under Routes 105 and 195. The race is open to all ages, with two people manning each boat. There were divisions for men, women, junior boys, junior girls, co-ed and a parent/child-under-14 division.

Boaters dressed in bright t-shirts came equipped with sandpaper and duct tape for last minute repairs. Onlookers could be seen all along the river, crowding overpasses and cheering on their favorite boats.

For those who participate in the anticipated annual event, the preparation work starts long before the actual boat race. Besides being physically fit enough to row for 12 miles, the boaters also prepare and build their own boats, sometimes embellishing their creations with teeth and monster accents. One boat looked like Loch Ness this year – not exactly aerodynamic, but definitely eye-catching.

For mother and daughter rowers, Julie and Gail Joseph, the boat-making process took about a month, and they used Luan plywood. This was the first year for the Josephs, who both said that they were excited to participate in their handcrafted boat number 86.

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isn't!" said Julie Joseph, who noted that a lot of the race would have to be done on foot this year.

Perhaps because of the amount of terrain that the rowers had to tackle on foot, there were no record-breaking race times. The winners of the five categories follow:

**Open Category** – First place: **Sean Shaw** of Rochester and **C.J. Hedges** IV of Hamden, CT with a race time of 2:04:00; Second place: **Paul Milde** of Mattapoisett and **Peter MacGregor** or Rochester with a race time of 2:10:49; Third place: **Jake** and **Joe Goyette** of Rochester with a race time 2:12:18.

**Co-ed Category** – First place: **Ian** and **Meg MacGregor** of Rochester with a race time of 2:23:51;

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Second place: **Jean** and **Mike Isabelle** of Rochester with a race time of 2:31:20; Third place: **Jodi Bauer** and **Marc Nadeau** of Mattapoisett with a race time of 2:37:09.

**Parent/Child Category** – First place: **Abby** and **Ed Bentz** of Rochester with a race time of 2:29:29; Second place: **Chris Smith** and **Jim Manning** of Marion with a race time of 2:30:25; Third place: **Zachary Howard** and **Conor MacGregor** of Rochester with a race time of 2:31:57.

**Women's Category** – First place: **Andrea Shaw** and **Lynn Faustino** of Rochester with a race time of 2:34:15; Second place: **Erica** and **Alissa Allen** of Mattapoisett with a race time of 2:40:53; Third place: **Autumn Rae Collasius** of Westport and **Kelsey B. Collasius** of Rochester with a race time of 2:41:07.

**Junior Boys Category** – First place: **Nicole Gifford** and **Tom Gonet** of Rochester with a race time of 2:51:33.

**Junior Girls Category** – First place: **Mariah MacGregor** and **Gabrielle Reuter** of Rochester with a race time of 2:56:12; Second place: **Lucy Milde** and **Eliza Van Voorhis** of Mattapoisett with a race time of 3:20:48.

And this year's **Old Man River** (the Boat Race's oldest participant), was **Don Jepson** of Wareham.

A complete listing of race finish times is available on page 52.


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## Selectmen Approve Large Rebate for Church

*Marion Board of Selectmen*

**Anne O'Brien-Kakley**

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order by Chairman Stephen Cushing on June 1, 2010. Also in attendance were Selectmen Roger Blanchette and Jonathan Henry, Town Administrator Paul Dawson and Assistant to the Selectmen Helene Craver.

In the annual reorganization of the Board, Selectman Blanchette was voted the new Chairman, with Stephen Cushing being the new Vice Chairman and Jonathan Henry becoming the new clerk.

The minutes of the April 27, May 4 and May 17 meetings were approved.

In their first and only formal appointment, the Board met with John Ludes and David Davignon in regards to a Converse Road subdivision. Mr. Ludes has been working with the Board to approve three water stubs at his property, but previous owners had somehow managed to avoid the stub betterment and construction fees of $10,000. Now, with a moratorium on new water tie-ins, Mr. Ludes has to prove "public benefit" in order to get a tie-in.

Members of the Open Space Acquisition Committee were present to confirm that the land provides little access to any usable resources for Marion residents. OSAC member John Rockwell said, "Access to a mudhole


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is no access at all."

"The town should've forced [the previous residents] to get involved with the sewer stubs… they weren't made to connect," said Chairman Blanchette. "People in this town let them [not] do it… that should never have happened. We should get him these three stubs and be done with it."

Although the Board showed interest in approving the three stubs in spite of the water limitations, Mr. Dawson advised against the move, suggesting that they speak with Town Council first, since "the town… has spent untold hours and legal fees… to preserve and protect the [water] capacity."

The Board asked the OSAC to produce a report for the June 15 Board of Selectmen meeting so they may proceed with a public benefit aspect to the stub approval.

Under Action items, the Board:

• Approved easements for NStar and Verizon at the new police station and Littleneck Village.

• Approved a request for parking at 9 Point Road for guests attending a wedding ceremony on June 12.

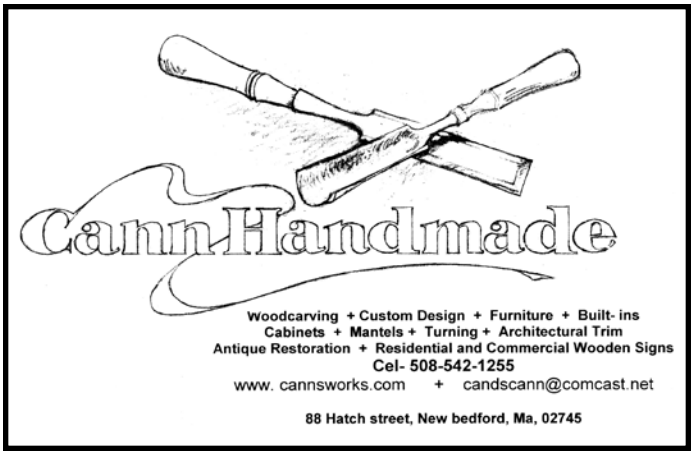
• Appointed Michael J. Still as an EMT.

• Appointed Sharon Matzek to the Marion Affordable Housing Trust (MAHT), effective immediately, and appointed Nicholas Grace to the MAHT effective July 1 to fill Dorothy Burrill's position on the trust. Ms. Burrill submitted her request to not be reappointed to the trust.

• Approved a one-day, all-alcohol license for the Marion Social Club for July 11, 2010.

Also under Action items, the Board met with the Marine Resources Commission (MRC) to discuss a possible moratorium on new aquaculture license applications. Chairman Blanchette suggested as much as a three-year moratorium on aquaculture to observe the impact of current aquaculture operations on the town and "assess the situation". "Are they going to be a detriment to our town or are they going to be okay?" Chairman Blanchette asked.

MRC advised against the moratorium, saying that there were a lot of obstacles in the license application process, which made a moratorium somewhat superfluous. MRC advised other approaches to the town's



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appraisal of future aquaculture license applications. One of the possibilities is "water-sheet zoning", where the water can be zoned in the same way the town is zoned. Approaches like this would involve a lengthy process and final approval at town meeting, but it could help create a comprehensive protocol for aquaculture license approval.

MRC agreed to research the matter further, and will help spearhead the aquaculture project with the Board. They planned on an update presentation for the June 15 Selectmen meeting.

In an abatement request, the Board received correspondence from homeowner Theodor van Stephoudt in regards to a large water bill that he received for his Front Street property. In a letter to the Board, the water

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department said that they had tried to call Mr. van Stephoudt to inform him of the elevated readings, but due to an unlisted phone number, they were unable to contact him. Mr. van Stephoudt asked the Board to consider recalculating his water bill by averaging out the past two years of bills, on the grounds that the water meter was faulty.

The water department agreed that the meter was faulty, but testing proved that the meter was actually running too slowly, which means that the bill should've been even higher. The meter was also leaking from its bottom, which was thought to be the source of the water consumption problem.

Selectman Henry said "a defective meter is a defective meter" and was in favor of reaching a compromise with the homeowner, but Chairman Blanchette said that the responsibility should ultimately fall with the homeowner to be aware of his consumption, regardless of whether or not he was a year-round resident.

The Board asked Mr. Dawson to pull the home's water bills from the past four years to use as a reference in making an abatement decision at a future meeting.

In his Town Administrator's report, Mr. Dawson informed the Board that if "substantial completion" is determined at the new police station by next week, the building could be occupied prior to August 1.

The Board also met with members of Marion's First Congregational Church in regards to the $12,000 water/sewer bill that surprised them at the end of 2009. The water bill reflected water consumption in the summer of 2009, and was thought to be the result of a leak in the irrigation system. The Church and the Board both agreed to follow up on an abatement request pending an analysis of the irrigation system once the system was up and running for 2010.

The Church said that they could not find a leak source in the irrigation system, but that certain mechanics had been installed to prevent flooding in the future if the irrigation is indeed the source. After looking at the pattern of the water consumption, the Board agreed that the irrigation was likely the source of the water reading from last year and agreed to rebate the sewer portion of the bill,

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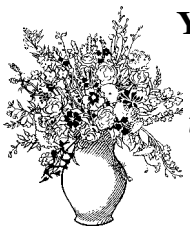

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totaling $6,721.07, with the understanding that the Church would take measures to prevent the overconsumption from happening again.

In a final Town Administrator's report item, Mr. Dawson encouraged the Board to establish a Capital Improvements Committee to, in part, analyze town buildings, assessing and prioritizing capital needs for the future. This idea for a committee stemmed from discussion at the 2010 special town meeting when residents expressed concern about the condition of town buildings, particularly the town house, which is in serious needs of repair "from top to bottom", according to Mr. Dawson. The Board voted to approve this committee formation.


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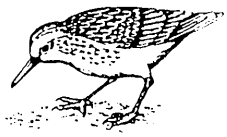

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## Mattapoisett Freshman Pitches to World Series

**By Anne O'Brien-Kakley**

Don't call it a Cinderella story, and don't call the UMass Boston baseball team, the Beacons, the underdog. It was their determination and scrappy nature that brought them to the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division III College World Series, and Mattapoisett pitcher Tom Cole helped get them there.

It is the seemingly impossible story of a seventh-seed college team – the UMass Beacons – sweeping the NCAA New England Regional Tournament and defeating the 12th nationally-ranked and first-seed Tufts University Jumbos 12 to 6 at a May 22 game.

Mattapoisett resident Jean Cole, mother to Tom, described the team as "good kids who just like to play ball," and Coach Brendan Eygabroat laughed at a May 22 conference saying that he would have to kick the team out of the batting cages late at night. "We believed in ourselves all year," said the coach. "Hard work pays off." To that, Coach Eygabroat added, "Tom Cole did a heck of a job."

The announcer at the May 22 game marveled over the unlikely winners and the pitcher that helped get them there, saying, "Could you ever have imagined that in the championship game, Tom Cole, a freshman out of Mattapoisett, Massachusetts, who was pitching for Old Rochester Regional high school at this time last year would be the winning pitcher of the championship game?" The announcer described the Beacons' continued victories at the Little East Conference and the New England Regional as, "the unfathomable [happening] nightly here."

Mr. Cole came into the May 22 game in the fourth inning, when his team was in a losing spot. With the help of a double-play, from the fourth to seventh inning, he managed to turn it around, helping his team defeat the favored Yale team. This is hardly the first pitching feat

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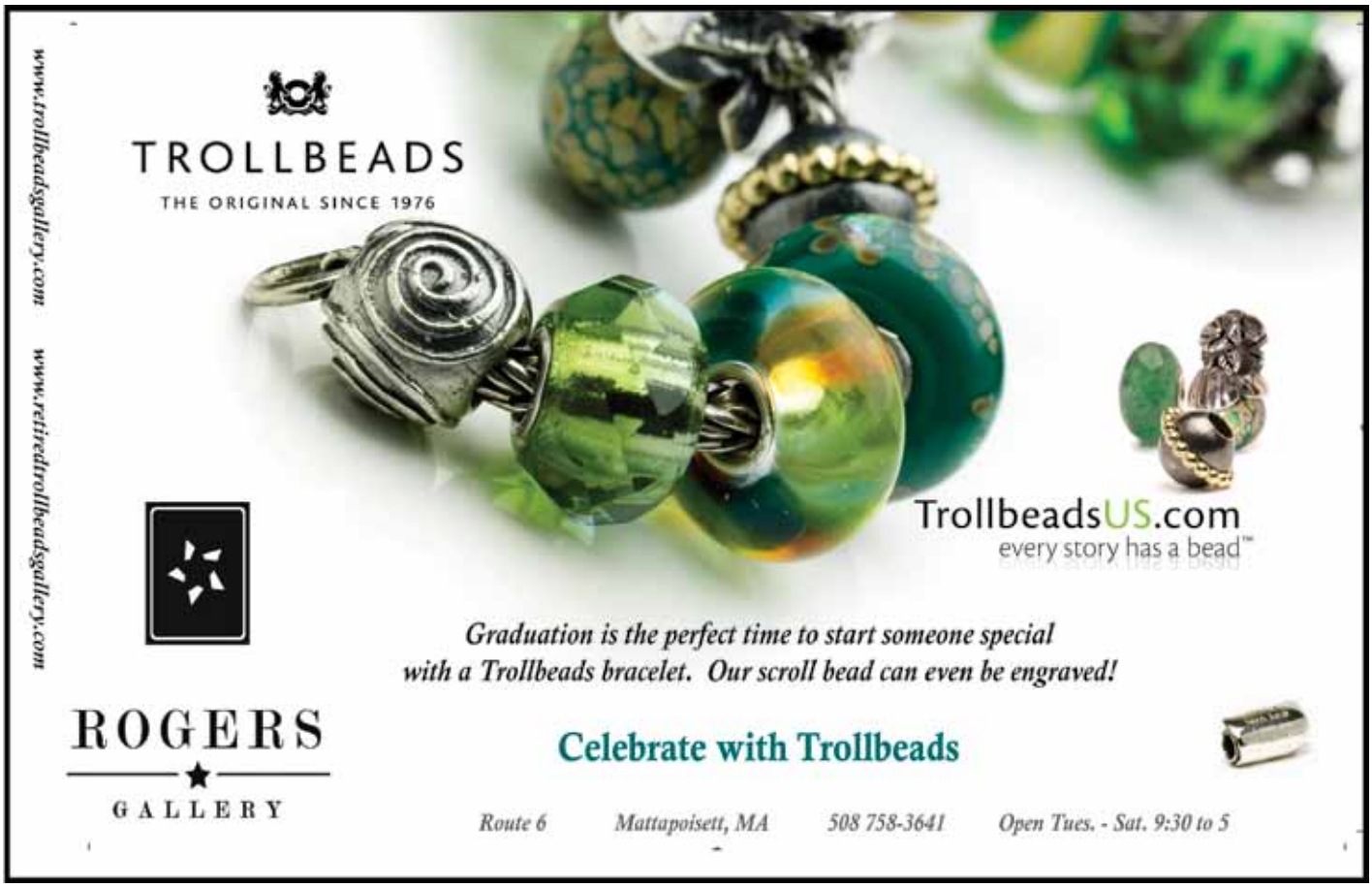
There are 402 colleges in Division III, and only eight make the World Series. "It's a once in a lifetime opportunity," said Ms. Cole. But her son's role in this achievement hasn't gone to his head. "He was chomping at the bit, wanting to contribute to his team," she said. "Tommy did a good job. The whole team did a good job… they are scrappers and fighters… [they are] just so humble."

After two back-to-back losses on May 28 and May 29, the UMass Beacons were eliminated from the Division III World Series, but the feat of getting to the NCAA championship is still something that this modest team of hard-working players is always going to remember.

And what did Tom Cole have to say about his contribution to the team's success? "I came in and I did my work," he said at a post-game conference. And based on the proud signs and posters hanging outside Mr. Cole's home in Mattapoisett, he is in for a great homecoming.



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## Historic District Abolishment Considered

*Rochester Board of Selectmen*

**By Anne O'Brien-Kakley**

A May 24 meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order by Chairman Naida Parker in the Rochester Town Hall. Also in attendance were Selectman Bradford Morse, Town Administrator Richard LaCamera and Assistant to the Selectmen Veronica Lafreniere.

The minutes of the April 20 and May 17 meetings were approved. The Board also voted and signed annual appointments to various town posts.

Chairman Parker read aloud a letter outlining the Board's recommendation for an article at the next special town meeting for the elimination of the town's historic district. A similar article was on the Annual Town Meeting warrant from petitioner Thomas Skrutski, who ended up tabling the article at the meeting. This time, the Board made it clear that it was endorsing the article for the fall special town meeting warrant.

In the Town Administrator's report, Mr. LaCamera asked both the Board of Selectmen and the Planning Board to submit comments for the Affordable Housing Plan that he is preparing to send to the state in the middle of June.

Mr. LaCamera also provided an update on the search for a new town planner. At an April meeting, the Board had expressed interest in sharing a planner with another town. One of the possibilities had been sharing the position with Acushnet, but that town planner has since decided that he didn't want to take on Rochester as well. The other town that is interested in sharing a town planner is Wareham, who, like Rochester, is currently looking to fill the vacancy. Wareham is in the final stages of putting together the job description, and once received, Rochester will go through the hiring process jointly with Wareham.

Mr. LaCamera also took a moment to thank all the department heads and town committees for working with a difficult budget, thereby avoiding position cuts and reduction in service. "It was an extremely challenging year as the Board knows," said Mr. LaCamera.


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"It was a remarkably smooth town meeting," said Chairman Parker, who was glad to see confidence in the town meeting voters.

The Board then discussed a recommendation from Mr. LaCamera to close the town hall on Friday afternoons in the summer, with the departments opening at 8:00 am on Friday morning to compensate for the early closing. Chairman Parker said that she would like to see some of the departments – like the building department – conduct some evening hours to compensate for the altered Friday schedule. Mr. LaCamera said that the building department already keeps Monday night hours with Jim Buckles on an appointment basis.

The Board then voted to conduct the Friday

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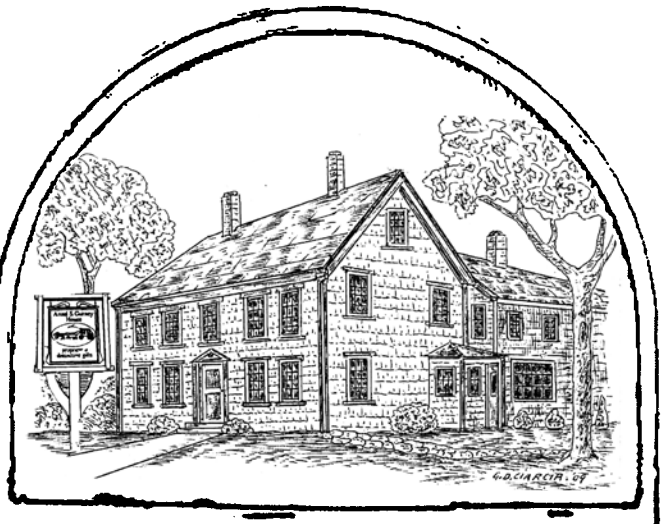

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summer hours from June 28 through September 10, with the town hall opening at 8:00 am on Friday and closing in the afternoon – the full hours will be posted at the town hall.

"We've been doing it for years now and I've never heard a complaint," said Selectman Morse.

The Board then discussed the addition of members to the Historic District Commission. One of the members up for consideration is Thomas Skrutski, who has been a vocal critic of the Commission.

"Mr. Skrutski has been anti-historic district from day one, and we feel that his serving on the committee would be very distruptive," said Ms. Ladd, who described Mr. Skrutski's previous appearances at the Historic District Commission meetings as "threatening and antagonistic." Since Ms. Ladd does not think Mr. Skrutski would be a good choice, the Commission is working hard to find others to fill three vacancies.

Ms. Ladd also took the opportunity to express her concern that Chairman Parker was vocally against the Historic District Commission, and that this could affect the future of the Commission. Chairman Parker defended her views, saying that she sympathized with the homeowners who felt that the town was an obstruction in their home's development, and that she was concerned for the houses that have stood vacant due to the Commission's restrictions. Chairman Parker thought it was unfair that some homeowners must abide by rules that the rest of the town doesn't have to follow.

The Board then approved the 2011 Senior Work-off program for qualifying senior citizens who want to exchange town work for tax relief. Applications for this program will be available in both the senior center on Dexter Lane and the Selectmen's office.

The Board then recognized a letter of resignation from part-time Officer David Cody, and resolved to send Officer Cody a letter of appreciation for his service.

*School Report*

## A Tribute to the Class of 2011

**By Anne Smith**

A few weeks ago, a group of my friends were

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talking about the nature of Old Rochester Regional. We were pretty much complaining about being stuck in a small pond, which we all agreed was getting fairly old. Then the conversation took a new direction when one of my friends said, "This school is all about the seniors."

That statement is so true that it should be our school's motto. The senior class quite literally rules the school. The underclassmen, especially the freshmen, look up to the seniors as some sort of demi-gods. If you know a senior, even through siblings, you are allowed to use that fact to bolster your ego. The annual school events are practically designed for seniors to show their class spirit, and set examples for the underclassmen to follow when they become seniors.

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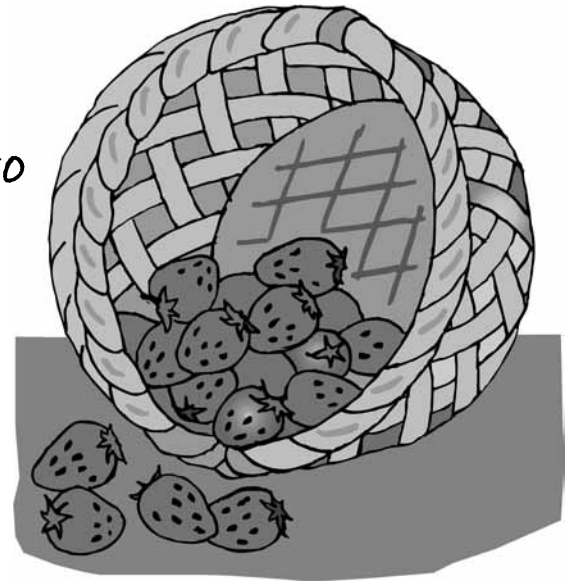

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Our school is pretty much centered on the seniors. In the fall, the Homecoming Pep Rally is the first event during which the seniors present a skit so well-prepared that no other classes have a chance of beating them. Take the class of 2010, for example. In their homecoming skit, they not only had a movie-quality video but also a "rooftop" fight on the rolled mats that they used to make up Gotham Tri-Town skyline. This year, the class of 2010 also had a video and they built a pirate ship for their skit. Somehow, in the same length of time given to the underclassmen to literally throw their skits together, the seniors are able to make a logical and entertaining skit that leaves the teachers and students watching, completely impressed. In short, the Pep Rally is a moment designed to showcase the seniors' creativity and organization.

Then there's the Mr. ORR pageant. Yes, I'm aware that boys from all classes participate in the pageant. But the winner is nearly always a senior, and the vast majority of participants are seniors. Most of the students involved in running the pageant are seniors. Do you see the theme? The Mr. ORR pageant is another chance for the seniors to shine.

Take a look at the Winter Blues Festival. Once again, this school event is open to students from all classes. And once again, the winners are typically seniors. The videos entered in the festival come from multiple years – some seniors stockpile videos from

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English projects for the festival – while others are videos made that year. A good number of the videos in the entertainment category are the "Who Am I?" videos made by groups of seniors in their English class. These videos are part of an assignment that gets the seniors thinking about their place in the universe, and the Winter Blues Festival is their place to showcase what they've decided about themselves.

And finally, there is the Senior Assembly. Need I say more? This assembly is more than just the last assembly that the seniors attend. It's completely dedicated to the seniors, who file into the gymnasium with their graduation gowns. The different acts of the assembly are presented by members of the senior class, as their various talents are recognized. It is also during the Senior Assembly that the school watches the famous senior video, which is put together by senior Margie Pullo this year.

All of this dedication to the senior class is nice, though. Even if the spotlight remains focused on the seniors, each year a new group of students stands fully in

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the spotlight. Next year, the spotlight will be focusing on the current juniors, who are already beginning to turn into seniors by taking over the courtyard during lunches.

As the younger sibling of the current valedictorian, Jean Smith, I have deeper ties to this year's seniors than those who are in the class of 2010. I've been on familiar terms with several of the seniors, and when I go to watch the graduation on June 5, I won't just be proud of my sister. I'm going to be – scratch that, I already am – proud of the entire class of 2010. Not only have they been a wonderful group of seniors, kind to the underclassmen and setting a great example for how to behave appropriately during senior year, but they've been kind and setting a great example for all the years prior. I'll never forget how many of the current seniors let me tag along with them during our Center School and Old Hammondtown days.

Their graduation on June 5 isn't just the celebration of their achievements for high school; it's the celebration of their achievements from their first day of kindergarten until now, and the achievements that they will have in the future. Thank you, class of 2010, and best of luck in the years to come!

## Sport Shorts

**By Yulia Motta**

And just like that, the spring regular season has come to an end, and with it, it brought many successes and happy endings also.

The **Old Rochester Girls Softball** team, who started out 1-9, was able to finish the season with a very respectable record of 8-12, missing the state tournament by only two games. The Lady Bulldogs finished things off strong with their 4-0 victory over Carver and responsible for the victory was no one other than the star pitcher,

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**Emma Keough**. Keough pitched a no hitter, with 10 strikeouts and a triple on the offensive end, while **Kayla Souza** pinched in with her one run and a double. With only two seniors leaving this year, the Lady Bulldogs will be able to pick up exactly where they left off this season and are hoping they will be able to reach the state tournament next year.

The **Old Rochester Boys Baseball** team has a lot to celebrate this season. They finished the season 14-6 and their great teamwork and dedication got them a chance to compete in the state tournament and a possibility of home field advantage, which they will know for sure about June 1. Leading the way for them was also their pitcher, **Nick Filloramo**. Filloramo played with great discipline

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and thrived under pressure. This season he has pitched 57.1 innings during which he had 81 strikeouts, 11 walks, and 0.86 ERA. However, what also led to this team's great success were its players. This team has worked well together on both ends of the field and when the time came for the big games, they were always up to the challenge. Last year the boys did not make it past the first round; however, with this many talented and dedicated players on one team, they are hoping to go the distance.

Both **Old Colony Boys Baseball and Girls Softball** teams finished their season strong and both qualified for the state tournament, which began on Memorial Day, and players are hoping to make it memorable, in a good way. The Old Colony Girls Softball team defeated Bristol-Plymouth 10-3 to snatch their final season game victory. **Ashley Campbell** pitched the entire game during which she struck out five batters and walked only one. **Angela DaCosta** went 3 for 5 at the bat, had a triple and 3 RBIs, while **Haliee Deterra** was 2 for 5 with 2 RBIs and 2 great catches in the outfield.

The **Old Colony Boys Baseball** team also finished big, capturing a 15-2 victory over the South Shore. **Chad McIntosh** was the Cougars' winning pitcher; he gave up only 2 unearned runs during the six innings. **Jon Dean** got things done offensively for the Cougars, going 4 for 5 at the bat, with 4 RBIs, while **Mike Delgado** and **Brett Aguiar** also helped out by going 3 for 4 at the bat. The boys start their postseason on Monday and are hoping to


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The summer is within reach and athletes are within steps of beginning the postseason. However, for the seniors, it means the last summer of high school, before they go off on their own and learn how to survive in the real world, where the rules of the life game are much different from those they have grown so used to on the field. So as they take their place at the bat or sprint through the plates towards home, cheer them on and show them your support, because it might be the last time you will get a chance to do so.

The Best of Luck to All the Athletes and the Class of 2010!

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At the schoolhouse, children may sit at antique wooden desks and try writing with pen and ink or with chalk on a slate. They may also try some old-fashioned schoolyard games like jacks, marbles, rolling a hoop and hopscotch. Guides will be on hand to talk about 19th Century education, classroom rules and discipline. There are antique schoolbooks to see and mannequins dressed in the clothes that were worn in the 1800s.

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### AHA! June 10

With music, art, culture and all-round good-times included in their line-up, the **June 10** AHA! New Bedford night is sure to please. AHA! starts around 5:00 pm and continues into AHA! afterhours past 9:00 pm. For more information on AHA!, please contact Keri Cox at 508-264-8004.

• **Celebrate the Day of Portugal** – There will be a ceremony outside City Hall (133 William Street) at 6:00

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pm, followed by a band led procession down to the NB Whaling Museum Plaza where a group from the Azores will lead local children in singing traditional folk songs. The Jacobs Family Gallery will have Azorean Artisans demonstrating traditional crafts from 4:00 to 8:00 pm.

• **New Bedford Whaling Museum** – The New Bedford Whaling Museum located at 18 Johnny Cake Hill will continue their Communities of New Bedford Lecture Series. The June 10 installation features *So Ends This Day: The Portuguese in American Whaling, 1765-1927*. Dr. Don Warrin, author of this new book, will provide an overview of this long overlooked area of whaling history. Nathaniel Philbrick writes, "For far too long the Portuguese contribution to American whaling has been relegated to the sidelines of history. This meticulously researched and well-written study puts the emphasis where it rightfully belongs." The book is being published by the Center for Portuguese Studies and Culture at UMASS Dartmouth. The lecture begins at 7:30 pm in the Museum Theater with book signing to follow.

• **Take a Dock Walk** – The first dock walk tour steps off at 5:00 pm from the Fairfield Inn & Suites Hotel located at 185 Macarthur Drive; the second tour steps off at 6:30 pm from the Wharfinger Visitor Center. The Wharfinger Building is open from 5:30 to 7:30pm.

• **Language of Flowers** – Ruth and Abby, the 19th century ladies from New Bedford Whaling National Historical Park, will be talking about the Language of Flowers. During Victorian times, various flowers had different meanings and were used to communicate different sentiments. Enjoy a "make-and-take" bookmark made with dried pansies. This event will take place from 6:00 to 8:00 pm in the conference room.

This is just some of the fun in store for you at New Bedford's June 10 AHA! night. For a full listing, visit www.AHANewBedford.org.

### Summer Teen Dances

The first teen dance of the summer will be Thursday, **June 17** at the Mattapoisett Town Wharf. Admission is limited to junior high and senior high school students who are year-round and summer residents of the Tri-Town area. Dances will begin at 7:30 pm and end at 10:30 pm. No one will be admitted into these dances after 9:00 pm. Admission will be $6.

### Graduation Schedule for ORR Seniors

On **June 3**, graduating seniors will have a mandatory Graduation Rehearsal from 9:00 am to noon. At 1:00 pm, the Senior Assembly entertainers will meet with class advisors in the gynasium for an hour.

Senior Awards Night starts on **June 3** at 7:00 pm. Students must arrive by 5:00 pm for pictures on the stage in the auditorium (but are asked to not bring caps). This program will be held in the gymnasium and attendance is mandatory unless excused by the principal. Students

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The Senior Last Assembly will take place on **June 4** from 9:15 to 10:38 am in the gymnasium. Seniors are to arrive and report to the auditorium no later than 8:30 am. Gowns and proper footwear is mandatory – no caps, please.

Graduation will take place on **June 5** at 1:00 pm. Students should arrive at the school at 12:00 pm. Report to the auditorium to pick up flowers and tassels. Attendance is mandatory at graduation unless excused by the principal. In the event of inclement weather, students are asked to report to the library.

Ticket Information: There will be six graduation tickets issued to each graduate. Students not needing six tickets are asked to let the school know so that these additional tickets may be used by other families who have additional requirements. Additional tickets will be assigned on a first-come, first-serve basis. In the event of an outdoor graduation, unlimited seating is available on a first-come, first serve basis. For more information, please call the school at 508-758-2772.

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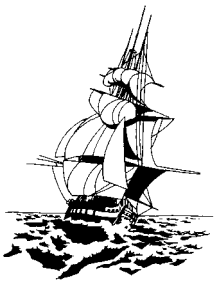

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## Starlight Children's Foundation

On **June 26**, Starlight Children's Foundation will host its fourth annual STARmazing race. This event is a hilarious and unique scavenger hunt that races through Boston, raising awareness and funds for children suffering from chronic and life-threatening illnesses.

A Tri-Town team is in their second year of participation with the STARmazing race and welcomes donations of any amount. Please contact the team at 508-758-9731 or send donations to Water Street Realtors, P.O. Box 1871, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. You can also call the above number for more information on how to form a team and join the race.

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The Friends of the Mattapoisett Library is a non-profit, 501(c)3 corporation that serves the library's needs. They provide a number of museum passes annually, support the summer Children's Programs, and others by request, and fund the library and its staff when other sources of funding are found lacking. Our funding comes from our small membership fees, and our annual book sale.

The book sale this year will be held at the Congregational Church on **July 7, 8 and 9** with a members-only preview **July 6**. Membership forms can be found at the library, or through the library's website at MattapoisettLibrary.org. Volunteers are always welcome.

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### Tri-Town Students in NB Ballet's Cinderella

The School of the New Bedford Ballet will be performing their premiere of Cinderella at the Zeiterion Theatre on Saturday, **June 12** at 2:00 pm and 8:00 pm.

This is New Bedford Ballet's 23rd full-length ballet production, but its first under their new artistic director, Rebecca Waskiel-Marchesseault, a resident of New Bedford who studied ballet at New Bedford Ballet in her youth and then performed professionally before returning to the school as an instructor and now its artistic director.

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New Bedford Ballet students from throughout the South Coast region are featured in the performance. Old Colony High School senior, **Katherine Stellato**, as the Fairy Godmother, will transform Cinderella (Elizabeth Mello) into a beautifully adorned princess. A pumpkin magically becomes a golden carriage just in time to take Cinderella to the ball. Despite the fury and antics of her stepmother, danced by Old Rochester Regional High School junior **Emily Bungert**, and stepsisters, danced by Rebecca Bier and ORR junior **Sofia Gabriel**, Cinderella meets and falls in love with her prince, portrayed by Raeman Kilfoil, soloist at Festival Ballet Providence and ballet instructor at New Bedford Ballet. Lead dancers also include Aaron Gomes and Stuart Caldwell as the prince's friends, who appear in several featured dance pieces throughout the performance.

Ticket prices are $20 for reserve seating, $15 General Admission, $10 Seniors and Students, $8 Children 12 and under, and a special discounted rate for non-profit organizations of $5 per ticket for groups of 10 or more.

For over 20 years, the non-profit New Bedford Ballet has continued its mission of providing the South Coast region with the highest quality pre-professional classical ballet training and keeping the performance of classical ballet alive in our community. To learn more about the New Bedford Ballet, including child and adult classes and community programs, please visit www.newbedfordballet.org. To purchase tickets, please contact the New Bedford Ballet at 508-993-1387.

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### Buzzard's Bay Habitat for Humanity

• **Volunteer Gathering** – Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity invites you to join members of the BBHFH Board on **June 9** at 6:00 pm in the Mattapoisett Library, located at 7 Barstow Street.

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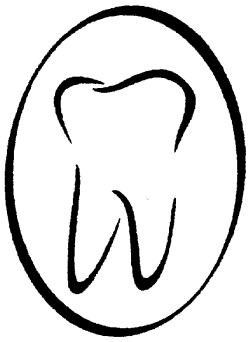

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Ticket reservations can be made by e-mail at BuzzardsBayAreaHabitat@yahoo.com, on our website at BuzzardsBayHabitat.org, or by calling 508-758-4517. For more information on the event or BBHFH's next build, please feel free to visit buzzardsbayhabitat.org.

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### Mattapoisett Land Trust News

• **Eyes on Owls** – Who's watching you? Find out on **June 5** when Eyes On Owls presents a live owl program in conjunction with the Annual Meeting of the Mattapoisett Land Trust. All who attend are in for some fun with educational close-up views of these secretive birds of prey. Naturalist Marcia Wilson will present "Who's Watching You? Owls of the World".

Wilson introduces the audience to owls found in New England as well as other parts of the world. A slideshow begins the program by showcasing colorful wildlife photos by her husband Mark Wilson. Marcia imitates the owls' calls herself, paying special attention to the more common owls that we might encounter in our area. After a hooting lesson and much audience anticipation, Marcia brings out the live owls one at a time. With each owl perched securely on her gloved hand, she walks out among the audience with six or seven owls. There's plenty of time for close-up views, photos and questions. Join the fun – all are invited! You don't have to be a Land Trust member, or from Mattapoisett, to attend.

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Marion Art Center announces classes for the summer. All programs, gallery exhibitions, theater shows and other activities are open to the public. Memberships for individuals and families support the daily operations of the Center. MAC Members receive a discount on tuitions, shows and other events.

• **Dancing Classes** will be offered on Wednesday afternoons beginning **June 23**. There will be half-hour classes at 4:00 pm for ages three and four, 4:30 pm for ages five and six, and 5:00 pm for ages seven and up. Instruction in ballet and tap will be offered with a short, informal performance on the last day, **August 11**. Teah Mazzoni is the teacher and is known for her energy,


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• **Preschool Piano Lessons** for ages three to five will be offered on Monday mornings by appointment. The eight-week program runs from **July 5 to August 23**. There will be a short recital on the last day. Jamie Wiksten is the instructor. Call her to register. 508-295-0379.

• **Piano Lessons for Beginners and Intermediates** will be taught by Nancy Sparklin with times to be arranged. Call her at 508-763-2327 for an appointment.

• **Art Classes** for ages eight to 12 will be offered on Saturday mornings, from 10:00 am to noon beginning **June 12**. There will be two, six-week sessions taught by Kendra D'Angora. Session I is **June 12 to July 17**. Session II is **July 24 to August 28**. The curriculum includes drawing, painting, collage and some three dimensional studies. The fee is $150 for MAC members, $165 for non-members and includes most materials. Call 508-748-1266 to register.

• **Young People's Musical Theater** classes for students in grades four through eight will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:00 to 4:30 pm, **July 6 to August 12**. There will be a musical revue on the last day. Chelsie Nectow is the instructor. Chelsie is a Marion resident and a student at Elon University where she studies Vocal Performance. Audiences enjoyed Chelsie

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as Millie in *Thoroughly Modern Millie* at ORR, plus Eva Peron in *Evita*, Cathy in *The Last Five Years* and Cassie in *A Chorus Line*. The fee for the six-week session is $150 for MAC members, $165 for non-members. Call 508-748-1266.

• **ARTSTART (**formerly ARTCAMP) celebrates its 25th anniversary this year! This popular summer program is for children ages four-and-a-half to nine years old. Children are grouped by age and participate in the following activities each day: Arts and Crafts, Music, Theater, Stories, and Music and games. Camp meets on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 9:00 am until noon. There are three, two-week sessions. Session I is **July 6 to July 15**; Session II is **July**

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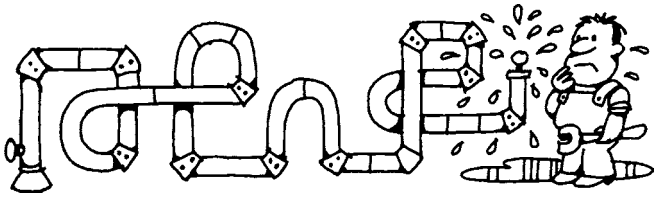
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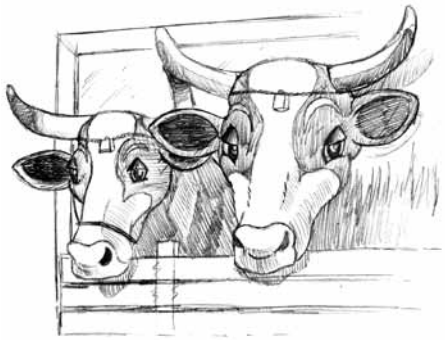
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**20 to July 29**; and Session III is **August 3 to August 12**. Space is limited. The fee for each session is $185 for MAC members and $205 for non-members. The staff is made up of professional, certified teachers assisted by caring counselors. Michele Letourneau is the director. Applications are available online at www.marionartcenter.org, or stop by during gallery hours: Tuesday – Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

• **Monday Morning Painters** is a group of adults who meet at the Center around 9:00 to 9:30 am and paint together at a local location and critique their own work. All levels are welcome. There is no fee and no instructor. Call 508-748-1266 if you are interested in joining the group this summer.

• *Imagine!* – The Marion Art Center Family Theater presents *Imagine!*, a musical review of fictional American girl characters in historical settings, based on the stories of the American Girls Collection. The show opens **June 4** at 7:00 pm and runs on **June 5** at 7:00 pm and on Sunday, **June 6,** at 2:00 pm. Tickets are $10 and may be purchased at the Marion Art Center, 80 Pleasant Street, Marion, 508-748-1266.

## Lions Club News

• **Lion of the Year** – Lion Janet Rego was voted Lion of the Year by her peers, a well-deserved honor. Since joining the Lions Club six years ago, Janet has chaired the senior dinner yearly, hosted board of directors meetings at her home, managed the food lines at Harbor Days and is chairperson of the very successful Pennies for Sight canister program. When you see one of the Pennies for Sight canister around town, it was probably placed there by Ms. Rego, so give generously – all proceeds go to MA Lions Eye Research.

• **Scholarship Winner Announced** – Helene Rose, President of The Mattapoisett Lions Club, has announced the winner of the 2010 Mattapoisett Lions Club Scholarship. The winner is Jean B. Smith, a senior at Old Rochester Regional High School. Ms. Smith will be attending the University of Massachusetts at Amherst where she will major in biochemical engineering. Jean is recognized for her involvement in community service,

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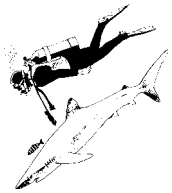

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her academic record, and her future career goals. Funds for this award were raised through the efforts of the Mattapoisett Lions at their annual Winter Cabaret and Harbor Days events. For information on how to join the Mattapoisett Lions Club please go to: http://www.mattapoisettlionsclub.org.

### ORR Summer Tennis Camps

The ORR Tennis Camps, under the direction of Coach Bob Hohne, will be held this summer at the Old Rochester Regional tennis courts. This camp is for boys and girls, grades 1-12.

The first session will be held on Monday, **June 21,** to Thursday, **July 1**. The second session will be **July 26** to

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| Sean Shaw<br>C.J. Hedges IV | Rochester<br>Camden, CT | 2:04:00 |
| Paul Milde<br>Peter MacGregor | Mattapoisett<br>Rochester | 2:10:49 |
| Jake Goyette<br>Joe Goyette | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:12:18 |
| Jeff Eldridge<br>Walter Gonet | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:22:00 |
| Jarred Lawrence<br>Andy Weigel | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:22:24 |
| Dan Lawrence<br>Brenden Chase | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:22:46 |
| Ethan Hathaway<br>Timothy Hathaway | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:23:41 |
| Ian MacGregor<br>Meg MacGregor | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:23:51 |
| Luke Johns<br>Alex Milde | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:24:35 |
| William D. Watling<br>William D. Watling Jr. | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:25:14 |
| Don A. Collasius<br>Don C. Collasius | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:26:50 |
| Carl Dias<br>Aren Johansen | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:27:19 |
| Alex Buckley<br>Matt Buckley | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:29:11 |
| Abby Bentz<br>Ed Bentz | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:29:29 |
| Chris Smith<br>Jim Manning | Marion<br>Marion | 2:30:25 |
| Jean Isabelle<br>Mike Isabelle | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:31:20 |
| Zachary Howard<br>Conor MacGregor | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:31:57 |
| Martha MacGregor<br>Danny MacGregor | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:31:58 |
| Tommy Allen<br>Robert Allen | Middleboro<br>Mattapoisett | 2:32:42 |
| Eric Ducharme<br>Henry Ducharme | Fairhaven<br>Rochester | 2:32:54 |
| Caitlin Stopka<br>Gary Stopka | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:33:35 |
| Andrew Kulak<br>Michael Florio | Rochester<br>Mattapoisett | 2:34:01 |
| Andrea Shaw<br>Lynn Faustino | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:34:15 |
| Joshua Allen<br>Terry Allen | Acushnet<br>Acushnet | 2:34:31 |
| Levi Hartley<br>Mark Hartley | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:36:34 |
| Jodi Bauer<br>Marc Nadeau | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:37:09 |
| Brett Szela<br>Jared Amaral | New Bedford<br>New Bedford | 2:37:16 |
| Jerry Perrone<br>Mark Weldon | Mattapoisett<br>Assonet | 2:38:39 |
| Autumn Tangney<br>Chris Tangney | Fairhaven<br>Fairhaven | 2:38:54 |
| Ryan Stopka<br>Michael Pruchnik | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:40:15 |
| William Poirier<br>Allen Dennison | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:40:46 |
| Amy Hartley-Matteson<br>Jesse Hartley-Matteson | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:40:50 |
| Erica Allen<br>Alissa Allen | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:40:53 |
| Autumn Rae Collasius<br>Kelsey B. Collasius | Westport<br>Rochester | 2:41:07 |
| Nathaniel St. John<br>Thomas St. John | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:42:02 |
| Josh Rounseville<br>Dan Rounseville | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:42:40 |
| Linda Duchaine<br>Bill Clark | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:43:33 |
| Carolyn Horseman<br>Timothy Harding | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:43:43 |
| Sophie Church<br>Harrison Harding, Jr. | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:45:01 |
| Nick Ferreira<br>Daniel Ferreira | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:45:11 |
| Robert Dias<br>Michael Dias | Rochester<br>Mattapoisett | 2:46:09 |
| Jack Barrows<br>Dana Barrows | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:46:12 |
| Benjamin Rounseville<br>Scott Rounseville | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:47:16 |
| Konstantin Kostin<br>Eric Scholter | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:47:17 |
| Kasandra Gonet<br>Amanda Eldridge | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:47:34 |
| Richard Braz<br>Michael Braz | Tiverton, RI<br>Rochester | 2:49:06 |
| Mike Gifford, Jr.<br>Ian Knapton | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:50:25 |
| Nicole Gifford<br>Tom Gonet | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:51:33 |
| Mario Conde<br>Tom Kinsky | Rochester<br>Wareham | 2:52:32 |
| Darrell D. Charon<br>Drew Vickers | Fairhaven<br>Mattapoisett | 2:52:36 |
| Don Cuddy<br>Scott Anderson | Mattapoisett<br>New Bedford | 2:53:22 |
| Chelsea Allen<br>Megan Smith | Acushnet<br>Acushnet | 2:54:06 |
| Angie Kantner<br>Chuck Kantner | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:54:27 |
| Kendra Lawrence<br>Kelsey Callahan | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 2:54:28 |
| William Rogers<br>Steve Rogers | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:54:36 |
| Julie Joseph<br>Gail Joseph | Rochester<br>Mattapoisett | 2:55:47 |
| Kyle White<br>Chris White | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:55:48 |
| Mariah MacGregor<br>Gabrielle Reuter | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:56:12 |
| Dana Makowski<br>Scott Makowski | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:56:52 |
| Elise Linane<br>M.J. Linane | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:57:43 |
| Garrett Peterson<br>Shaun Peterson | Rochester<br>Rochester | 2:58:04 |
| Corbin Martin<br>Marc Deneault | Rochester<br>E. Freetown | 2:58:51 |
| Teddy Ryan<br>Steven Ryan | Fairhaven<br>Fairhaven | 2:59:23 |
| Chad Crittenden<br>Jamie McIntosh | Wareham<br>Wareham | 3:01:01 |
| Kate MacGregor<br>Denise Reuter | Rochester<br>Rochester | 3:01:49 |
| Avery O'Brien-Nichols<br>Jessica Nichols | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 3:02:40 |
| Melissa Viera<br>Lane Tobiason | Acushnet<br>Acushnet | 3:02:48 |
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| Kristen Harper<br>Serena Sutka | Berkley<br>Taunton | 3:09:25 |
| Tevin Honohan<br>Alex Sousa | New Bedford<br>New Bedford | 3:13:40 |
| David Macedo<br>Jess Gaspar | Mattapoisett<br>Rochester | 3:16:03 |
| Matt Jepson<br>Don Jepson | Concord, NH<br>Wareham | 3:18:28 |
| Kate Hughes<br>Marissa Hughes | Rochester<br>Rochester | 3:19:42 |
| James King<br>Joseph R. King | Lincoln, RI<br>Lincoln, RI | 3:20:05 |
| Lucy Milde<br>Eliza Van Voorhis | Mattapoisett<br>Mattapoisett | 3:20:48 |
| Karen Gendron<br>Karen Ryan | Wareham<br>Fairhaven | 3:21:09 |
| Ryan Tucker<br>Marc Simone | Lakeville<br>Rochester | 3:21:26 |
| Jimmy Gonnville<br>Pierce Randall | Rochester<br>Mattapoisett | 3:21:29 |
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The classes will focus on the fundamentals of tennis strokes and footwork through skill stations. Each class will have the flexibility of skill levels within the groups. The camp counselors who will assist Coach Hohne will be former and current players from Old Rochester.

An adult clinic will also be held on Monday nights beginning **June 14** and ending **August 9**. Each session will consist of three classes: 4:30 to 6:00 pm for beginners, 6:00 to 7:30 for advanced beginners to low intermediate and 7:30 to 9:00 pm for intermediate to high intermediate.

Registration forms were distributed to area students after spring vacation, but additional forms and answers to questions can be obtained by contacting Bob Hohne at 508-758-9081 or by e-mail at rhohne@orr.mec.edu.

### Tri-Town Pan Mass Challenge

This year's Fourth Annual PMC Kids Tri-Town Ride on **June 13** expects 200 children ages 3-12 years old to bicycle ride on a .8 mile looped course on the grounds of Old Rochester Regional Junior High School. There will

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# Memorial Day

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*Commander Michael Lamoureux leads the services.*

*The Marion Cub Scouts and Brownies were among the attendees at the Marion Memorial Day service and parade. The parade started at the Music Hall and went through the village, stopping to lay wreaths for fallen heroes. Photo by Sarah K. Taylor.*

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**Accomplishments**

**Sarah Eleanor Dupont**, daughter of Judy and Robert Dupont of Rochester made the Deans list at Norwich University in Northfield Vermont. This is Sarah's third year in college and first year in nursing. She is a graduate of ORR Class 2007.

**Obituaries**

**Captain Dean Doran** of Mattapoisett, MA passed away in Summerfield, Florida on February 9th, 2010, far from his home on the sea. However, those who knew and loved him believe he was there in mind and heart when he "put out to sea." His older daughter, Toya and his close friend and companion, Shirley Harrow cared for him until his death, with support and guidance from Hospice Services of Marion County Florida.

Although he had lived and worked in Tortola British Virgin Islands for 30 years, he returned to Mattapoisett every summer. In 2007, Dean bought a home in Florida where he spent winters, always coming home to his "shack" at Angelica, where he scanned the bay and enjoyed the delights of the cove with his family and friends.

He graduated from Admiral Farragut Naval Academy in 1948 followed by a year at Tufts University and a transfer to Rollins College, Florida where he met Takayo Tsubouchi. The day after their graduation from Rollins in1953, Takayo and Dean married. They settled in Mattapoisett, where they had three children.

Already in the Naval Reserve, Dean went on active duty with the Navy; stationed at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. It was his first taste of the Caribbean, and he fell in love with it. Under the GI Bill, he pursued further formal education, obtaining degrees in: physics, engineering and mathematics. However, he was proudest of his Captain's License, first obtained at the age of eighteen and kept current until his death.

Following his discharge from the Navy, he worked as an Engineer in Boston, at his father's firm: Hoyle, Doran and Berry for twenty years. Providentially, it was the unlimited tonnage Captain's license that became a deciding factor enabling Dean to leave Hoyle, Doran and Berry and relocate to Tortola, BVI from 1977-2007. There he co-founded and became the first Captain of the ferry boat company Native Son, which still runs from St. Thomas to Tortola. There, with his distinctive long-billed sword-fishing cap, he was known by all as: Captain Dean.

The term Captain not only conveyed his familiarity with boats, navigation, weather, and the sea, but his acumen of all things nautical. He also possessed a keen intellect and an ever active curiosity which led him to discover and explore an array of arcane subjects that became part of his repertoire. His family, friends and acquaintances delighted in his stories and ability to expound on a variety of topics. His taste in music ranged from country western to grand opera. However, whenever he drove his distinctive sapphire blue Subaru around town, he listened to his favorite opera: I Puritani.

He was the son of the late John T. Doran and Lydia C. Doran. He is survived by: his brother, Steven Peter Doran; his sister Rosamond Doran Gruner; his three children: Toya Doran Gabeler, John Howland Doran and Juliet Doran Rollins; a niece and nephew; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and his companion Shirley Harrow.

His ashes were scattered at sea as he requested. There will be a non-religious memorial gathering on June 19, 2010 at his home in Mattapoisett. In lieu of flowers his family requests that donations be made to a hospice of their choice.

**Kenneth M. MacKenzie**, 69, of Mattapoisett died May 27, 2010 at home after a long illness.

Born in Laconia, NH, the son of the late Morton and Mildred (St. Cyr) MacKenzie, he lived in Maine, the Caribbean, the West Indies and the last 11 years in Mattapoisett.

He was the former owner and operator the SV Ticonderoga chartering in the Caribbean and the West Indies and performed finish and restoration work on yachts. He was a household painter while living in Mattapoisett.

Ken was an accomplished yachtsman; he organized the 1st and 2nd Mt. Gay Rum Regattas in 1974/75 which evolved

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### Sippican School Band Blast

The 8th Annual Sippican School Band Blast is scheduled for Thursday, **June 10**, from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm on the Sippican School Front Lawn. This is the fundraiser for all our music programs at Sippican School. Dollars raised pay for Music Festival fees and transportation, equipment purchase, repair and replacement, reed purchase and scholarship funds. The band members are the hosts, and our generous band families make it a success. This year's theme is the Olympics. Attractions are the water slide, dunk tank, moon bounce, cake walk, tie dye (thanks to Erin Sullivan), and lots of great games and prizes.

Live Music will be provided by Aaron Norcross and his band from 5:00 to 6:00 pm. All Sippican bands play from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Food available includes hamburgers, hot dogs, pizza, seafood, cotton candy, popcorn, slushies, and a bake sale.

There will be a raffle for four Red Sox tickets. This game will be held on August 4 at 7:00 pm, Sox vs. Cleveland Indians and the raffle includes a parking pass. All proceeds benefit the Sippican School Music Programs.

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into the Classic Yacht Regatta; participated in 12 Antigua Race Weeks; raced in Bermuda Fitted Dinghy Races; as owner/captain of Ticonderoga he was overall winner of 1976 Tall Ships Race Bermuda to Newport; America's Cup Reserve Crew on 12 meter Enterprise; raced in S.O.R.C. on Mistress Quickly 1980/81, made many trans-Atlantic passages and experienced eight survival type storms including Hurricane Gilda; helmsman on Mistress Quickly for 1979 Cowes Week and Fastnet Race a race in which 17 lives and 21 boats were lost; captained Off Soundings and Physalia both 70 foot motor sailers and Lord Jim a 72 foot Alden Schooner.

He served as a quartermaster in the U.S. Navy.

Survivors include the love of his life, Mary Lou Manley of Mattapoisett; a son, Trevor MacKenzie of Truckee, CA; 2 daughters, Heather MacKenzie of Bow, NH and Margaret Richardson of Englewood, CO; a brother, Kim MacKenzie of Chelmsford, MA; a sister, Susan Jean MacKenzie of Lime, NH; 4 grandchildren and a nephew.

A Celebration of his Life will be held privately in the future. Arrangements are with the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Route 6, Mattapoisett. For on-line guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

**Vernard Ellingsen**, 54, of Cairo, GA, died May 21, 2010, unexpectedly in Cape May, NJ. He was a loving and faithful husband to Kathleen (Borges).

Born May 31, 1955, in Acushnet, son of the late Olav & Jeannette Ellingsen. He served as a radio operator in the US Army and spent the last 29 years as a fisherman. He was an adored father and grandfather.

Survivors include his son, Chris "Loki" Ellingsen & wife Kelly of NB; his daughter, Heather Arruda & husband Brad of Marion; three grandchildren, Ally of NB, Syd & Brad of Marion; and his sister, Donna Collins of Lakeville.

**Barbara M. (Griffith) Jenney,** 78, of Marion, passed away Saturday May 29, at the Tremont Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Wareham. She is the wife of George D. Jenney of Marion. Born in New Bedford, MA August 13, 1931 and raised by her grandparents Edward & Annie (Little) Hughes and her loving aunt Ethel Hughes.

Barbara is a member of Saint Gabriel's Church in Marion. She also enjoyed spending time with her children, grand and great grandchildren, her dog Spanky and braiding rugs. Barbara took great pride in her home and being a home maker and she was known to many as "Grammie".

In addition to her husband she is survived by her daughter Robin Kendrick of East Freetown and a son David Jenney of Wareham. Grandmother of Peter Kendrick, Hillary Jellison, Jenney Fairclough , Cheyenne Jenney and great grandmother of Ethan Fairclough, Kylie Kendrick, Casey Kendrick and Leo Jellison. She is the sister of Helen Barrette of Plymouth and she is also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Arrangements by Wareham Village Funeral Home 5 Center Street Wareham. Memorial gifts may be made to Alzheimer's Association P.O. Box 1102 Sandwich, MA 02563. Online guest book please visit warehamvillagefuneralhome.com Interment Little Neck Cemetery Hermitage Road Marion.

**Lloyd M. Adrian,** of Watertown May 29, 2010. WW 2 Navy Veteran. Beloved husband of Angelina (DiNicola). Father of Linda Clifford and her husband John of Mattapoisett and Thomas Adrian and his wife Joann of NH. Brother of the late Paul, David, and Rosemary. Also survived by 5 grandchildren and 2 great granddaughters.
Arrangments by the Nardone Funeral Home 373 Main St. (Route 20) Watertown. Burial in Ridgelawn Cemetery.

**Frantz L. Warner,** 90, of Marion, died Saturday, May 29, 2010 at Tobey Hospital in Wareham. He was the husband of Eleanor (Harding) Warner.

Born in Chicago, IL, the son of the late Gustav Patrick and Hilder (Lindstrand) Warner, he graduated from the University of Chicago. After serving in the U.S. Navy, he moved to Marion in 1954.

Mr. Warner was a member of St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church in Marion where he was Senior Warden and a member of the men's fellowship. A proud member of the Marion Republican Town Committee, he also enjoyed playing golf and walking.

Survivors include his wife; his children, Eric R. Warner of Chilmark, Lawrence L. Warner of Marion, Eleanor Kimball Schaller of Natick and Pamela B. Warner of Pasadena, CA; his grandchildren, Amy Warner Larkin, Cameron Warner, Ian Warner and Alison Warner; and three great grandchildren.
He was predeceased by his daughter, the late Sherrill Warner Scullin.

A memorial service will be held on Sat., June 5, 2010 at St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, 124 Front St., Marion at 11:00 AM Donations in his memory may be made to St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, P.O. Box 545, Marion, MA 02738.

**Marion T. (Tinkham) Roberts**, 90, of Mattapoisett died May 31, 2010 at Tremont Nursing Home. She was the wife of the late J. Lewis Roberts.

Born in Mattapoisett, the daughter of the late Earl H. and Minnie D. (Gamans) Tinkham, she lived in Mattapoisett all of her life.

Mrs. Roberts was a member and former secretary of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. She was a member of the Mattapoisett Historical Society, Mattapoisett Women's Club and Friends of the Mattapoisett Free Public Library. She enjoyed sewing.

Survivors include a son, Mark Roberts, and his wife Andrea Cooper, of Mattapoisett; a daughter, Gail Roberts, and her husband Rob Price, of Mattapoisett; a brother, Howard Tinkham of Mattapoisett; a sister, Ethel Apperson of Mattapoisett; 2 grandchildren, Charlotte Price and Fenton Cooper Roberts; many nieces and nephews.

Her Memorial Service will be held in the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. For service date and time, directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

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**Relay For Life of Tri-Town**

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Tri-Town is just weeks away on **June 11-12**, 2010. This "celebration of life" brings the Tri-Town community together in a unified effort to fight cancer.

Former and current cancer patients, those who have lost a loved one to cancer, families, businesses, civic organizations, and the public are invited to take part in this exciting team event. Relay For Life takes place from 6:00 pm on **June 11** until 12:00 pm on **June 12** at the Old Rochester Regional High School track, 135 Marion Road, Mattapoisett.

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life is a family-oriented event where participants enjoy the camaraderie of a team and also raise funds to help eliminate cancer. Participants camp out at the Relay site, and when they are not taking their turn walking, they will take part in fun activities and enjoy entertainment by the ORRHS Drama Club, Jazz Ensemble with Koby Williamson, Sean Packard and Company, and DJ Roland Grenier from Twilight Sound. The event helps communities celebrate those who have faced cancer, remember loved ones lost, and fight back against the disease.

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# Editor's Pick of the Week

## Hazy Memorial Day Honors Heroes

*Lt. Chris Byron Remembered*

**By Laura Pedulli**

A thick haze from Canadian wildfires enveloped Mattapoisett this Memorial Day, but that did not stop area residents from coming out in large numbers to honor veterans, military personnel, and individuals who offered the ultimate sacrifice in past and present conflicts.

Upholding the annual tradition, Florence Eastman Post 280 American Legion led a ceremony on the Mattapoisett Free Public Library's lawn that included remarks from government officials, a special speaker, and performances by Old Hammondtown Orchestra.

The event kicked off at 1:30 pm with the pledge of allegiance. Commander Michael Lamoureux then declared that this year's Memorial Day Services would honor the life of former Rochester resident Lt. Chris Byron, a decorated Korean War Veteran and retired Massachusetts Supreme Court Justice who passed away on March 9. In his opening remarks, Mr. Lamoureux described Byron's service during the Korean War, for which he served from 1948 to 1951. According to Mr. Lamoureux, Mr. Byron was wounded no less than four times, and in three of those instances he insisted on returning to his troops. His service earned him silver and bronze stars for gallantry.

"The man was a true hero. We wanted to remember him and remember what he stood for," Mr. Lamoureux said, reciting his favorite Mr. Byron quote: "'The greatest honor and privilege of my life was leading troops in combat.'"

Shortly later in the service, Rep. William Straus echoed these sentiments. "He is not just a soldier," he said of Lt. Byron, citing his judicial accomplishments. "He was a true scholar as well as a judge," he added.

After Mr. Lamoureux's remarks, Chaplain Richard Langhoff led a prayer that urged people to be "humble of heart and unselfish of purpose."

Prior to Old Hammondtown Orchestra's first performance, Mr. Lamoureux recognized Stan Ellis and Jean West – retiring orchestra and jazz instructors – for their years of participation in the event. For Mr. Ellis, the event marked his 29th and final year of leading performances at the ceremony. During the celebration, Rep. Straus lauded Mr. Ellis' and Ms. West's achievements. "It is a treat to see an orchestra at an event like this. [Mr. Ellis] and the school kids remind us of the importance of the arts in education," he said. The Old Hammontown Orchestra performed four numbers during the event, including the Old Hammontown March, God Bless America, America, and The Star Spangled Banner.

In other remarks, Rep. Straus explored the realities of life during the civil war and the toll on families who never received the remains of their loved ones. "That was a new thing for people in this country… It was hard to keep the memory alive. Some memorials like ours and in other towns in New England came up so you would not lose that memory, not let [the deceased] disappear from your mind. We do that with the Civil War veterans, and we do that [for] everyone who had served since," he said.

In short comments, Selectman Jordan Collyer thanked the highway and police departments for assisting with the event. He also thanked the tree planting committee for their work to beautify the town for the parade. He said Memorial Day is an opportunity to honor veterans because "without them, we wouldn't be where we are today."

Veteran's Agent Barry Denham offered the official Memorial Day message. He said the oldest Mattapoisett Memorial Day ceremony he found on record occurred in 1917. He reported an interesting fact that Selectman George Randall's father recited the Gettysburg Address at this event. Overall, he said, "this is a tradition that I hope continues for many generations to come."

Shortly thereafter, Old Rochester Regional Junior High student Joel Lavoie recited the Gettysburg Address to great applause.

Then special speaker Capt. Adrian Lonsdale – a World War II veteran who served on the coast guard – recognized the approximately six WWII veterans attending the ceremony. "We soon will be an extinct breed, but the veterans here are the lucky ones because they lived to an old age," he said.

In his speech, Mr. Lonsdale said that since the Revolutionary War, he calculates that the United States has engaged in 29 armed conflicts that took the lives of approximately 1,300,000 people, 623,000 of which died in the Civil War. He said that in 1868, Americans founded Decoration Day – renamed Memorial Day at a later time – to honor the sacrifices of soldiers.

In his speech, he asserted that not all heroes are on the battlefield, citing the important work of cryptologists who translated German and Japanese naval codes that significantly altered the course of the Second World War.

Following the ceremony, the legion laid wreaths on war memorials and offered a firing squad salute adjacent to the library. Then a short parade assembled, which included: current members of the U.S. army, including JROTC students at New Bedford High; the Mattapoisett Police and Fire Departments; the Mattapoisett Girl Scouts, Brownies and Daisy Troops; the Mattapoisett Boys Scouts and Cub Scouts; town officials; vintage vehicles; and of course the Old Hammondtown Orchestra.

The parade traced the town wharf and eventually proceeded to the Cushing Cemetery for additional firing salutes to honor men and women lost at sea and on land.

efforts. Campsites are decorated in this years' theme of "Decades" and will be judged as well as the team with the "Most Spirit." There will be many on-site fundraisers, theme laps, and fun throughout the night! A Survivor's dinner will be held in their honor. All those Survivor's wishing to attend must pre-register with Maureen McCarthy at 508-758-4714 or Pam Hiller at 508-758-2579. Our Luminaria ceremony is an outstanding, emotional event that should not be missed. Please come and participate or just stop by to support everyone involved.

Relay For Life brings the fight against cancer to the forefront. Many participants are our family, friends, and neighbors who have personally dealt with cancer. Their involvement is proof of the progress that has not only been reducing death rates, but also in the quality of life following cancer treatment.

Please join us as we celebrate, remember and fight back against cancer at the Relay For Life of Tri-Town. Hope to see you there. Should you have any questions, please contact Caryn Hodges at 508-989-7805 or fna1500@comcast.net or Carol Lareau at 508-758-9229 or clareau44@hotmail.com.

### Mattapoisett Council on Aging

Please call us at 508-758-4110 if you wish to learn more about our services. Call to sign up for all listings. Most events are free and open to all.

• Thursday, **June 3**: 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:00 Bridge; 1:00 Art; Trip to Sandwich for Heritage Museum and Belfry Inn.

• Friday, **June 4**: 8:30 Yoga; 8:30 Shaws; 10:00 Cardio Dance Fit.

• Monday, **June 7**: 9:00 Garden Club; 9:00 SHINE; 12:00 Fitness w/Karen; 12:30 Fairhaven Marts; 1:00 Scrabble.

• Tuesday, **June 8**: 8:30 Yoga; 8:30 Stop and Shop; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 1:00 Art.

• Wednesday, **June 9**: 10:00 Zumba Gold; 12:00 Fitness w/Karen; 1:30 Bingo- Wellness Fair 9 to 12.

• Thursday, **June 10**: 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:00 Bridge; 1:00 Art; Lunch Trip to Christo's.

• Friday, **June 11**: 8:30 Yoga; 8:30 Shaws; 10:00 Cardio Dance Fit; 11:30 Tile Decorating; Footcare all day.

*Reminders for upcoming weeks:*

• Duplicate Bridge every Tuesday at 9:00 am. All are welcome.

• Morning of Wellness Fair – June 9 from 9:00 am to 12 noon. There will be free breakfast, door prizes, blood screenings, free chair and hand massages, concert at 11:00 am and much more! Call the center for details.


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### Baseball Summer Clinics

There will be two sessions of baseball camp this summer, from **June 28 to July 2**, and **July 19 to 23**, for ages 7-14. The sessions will run from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm and the sessions will be held at Old Hammondtown School in Mattapoisett. This clinic is run by the former Boston Red Sox Pitcher Brian Rose, along with NB Bay Sox members and local coaches. Five fun-filled, fundamental training days will feature work on all baseball skills, special guest speakers and scrimmages in the afternoon.


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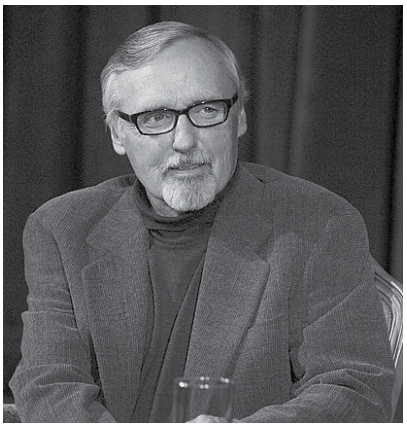

**DENNIS HOPPER, 1936-2010**

Actor, director, drug addict, madman, art collector, comeback kid at the age of 50, Oscar nominee, Bush supporter turned Obama supporter (Sarah Palin was the deal-breaker for him), Hollywood Walk of Fame recipient two months before his death: Dennis Lee Hopper wore a lot of hats in his turbulent, turbo-charged lifetime.

Some remember him for his co-starring work opposite James Dean in *Rebel Without a Cause* and *Giant* — the '50s. Some remember him for his iconic *Easy Rider* — the '60s. Some remember him for his jittery photographer in *Apocalypse Now* — the '70s. Some remember him for his polar-opposite comeback roles in *Blue Velvet* and/or *Hoosiers* — the '80s. Some remember him for his villain roles in *Speed* and *Waterworld* — the '90s. Some may even remember his twilight work in *Land of the Dead, An American Carol,* or the *Crash* TV series. That's *six decades,* man. Not bad for someone who by all rights should've been dead in the early '80s, when he was snorting three grams of cocaine a day.

Hopper cleaned up in '83 and roared back into prominence with four legendary performances: the kindly drunk Shooter in *Hoosiers,* the delapidated, one-legged Feck in *River's Edge,* the furiously vengeful Lefty Enright ("I'm the lord of the harvest!") in *The Texas Chainsaw Massacre 2* ... and, of course, the seething profile of obsessive evil Frank Booth in David Lynch's masterpiece *Blue Velvet*. If you watch all of these films back-to-back, Hopper's performances shake out as his confession, his acknowledgment that he was in the wilderness but now he was back, that once he was blind but now he could see.

He was also a pretty good director. *Out of the Blue* (1980) was a stark portrait of bottom-dog existence, *Colors* (1988) a conscientious attempt to make sense of the Crips-Bloods war, *Backtrack* (1990) an underrated, quirky outlaw romance. He was not as great a director as he was an actor, but, with the possible exception of his last effort, 1994's *Chasers* (which nevertheless found room for appearances by Crispin Glover, Seymour Cassel and Gary Busey — must've been an interesting set), Hopper always seemed to be groping for some kind of truth in the films he helmed, even if, as in the widely dismissed *The Last Movie* (1971), his reach exceeded his grasp.

Hopper kept busy right up to the end; his final decade seemed to be filled with documentaries, for which he either narrated or served as an interview subject, the reasoning probably being that the man had a lot of good stories. Perhaps his last truly great performance was in *True Romance* (1993), wherein he delivered the infamous history lesson on Sicilians to provoke mob boss Christopher Walken into killing him before he was forced to give up the location of his son. The scene is such a ready-made classic it can be viewed and enjoyed by itself outside the movie. Among Hopper's lesser-known work, I can recommend the criminally underseen *Paris Trout* (1991), *Mad Dog Morgan* (1976), *The American Friend* (1977), *The Indian Runner* (1991), and *Red Rock West* (1992). His final film, due to be released September 17, will be the computer-animated *Alpha and Omega*. Time will tell whether it's a fitting swan song for Hopper, but then he usually performed as though every movie were the last movie.

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### Shining Tides Quilt Show

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The show will take place on June 4 and 5 from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm and on June 6 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. The admission cost will be $5 a day. The Shining Tides group includes quilters from the Tri-Town area.

### Community Connections Annual Golf Tournament

Community Connections will hold its 24th Annual Charity Golf Tournament on Monday, **June 14,** at the Bay Club at Mattapoisett to benefit people with disabilities living on the South Coast, South Shore, and Cape Cod. Community Connections has local South Coast locations in Fall River, Fairhaven and Marion.

The tournament is a "Best Ball of the Foursome" format with a shotgun start at 1:00 pm. The tournament will be followed by a reception that includes delicious food, cash bar and silent auction. Golf costs $250/person or $1,000/foursome and includes greens fees, cart and evening reception.

Community Connections depends on the support of local residents and businesses to continue providing the highest quality services to people with disabilities. Each person participating in this golf tournament will be helping people with disabilities realize their full potential while leading active and meaningful lives.

To register or learn more about this event, contact Community Connections via email: events@commcon.org or by phone: 1-800-308-1321. To learn more about Community Connections and to read about this event, visit www.communityconnectionsinc.org or become a fan of Community Connections on Facebook!

### Rochester Land Trust Barn and Garden Tour

June is a beautiful month in Rochester with bogs in bloom and dragonflies skimming ponds shimmering in the sun. The Rochester Land Trust invites you to wander its roads and lanes and view eight of its most interesting barns and gardens. On Sunday, **June 27,** from 1:00 to 4:00 pm, barns old and new and gardens inside and out will be open for touring for a $10 per car ticket. Participants will buy tickets at the RLT booth set up on the town commons on Rounsville Road in front of the Town Hall and receive a map indicating the locations of all the old and new

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*The 2010 Rochester Memorial Day Boat Races got off to a good start in warm, sunny weather. About 90 registrants rowed their boats from Grandma Hartley's Reservoir on Snipatuit Road, down the Mattapoisett River, and to the finish line at the Herring Weir on Route 6 in Mattapoisett. Photo by Anne O'Brien-Kakley.*

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barns and farms and gardens.

The tour will conclude at the Gilmore Barn where refreshments will be served and folks will have time to mingle with members of the RLT to learn about their upcoming projects.

The tour will be held rain or shine. Mark your calendars and plan to join us.

### ORR Class of 1970 Reunion

The Old Rochester Regional high school class of 1970 is planning their 40th class reunion this summer. Anyone wishing to have more information, please contact Cindy Haskell at Molly5971@aol.com or Dede Pangaro Smith at DSmithlil@comcast.net. We are looking for current e-mail addresses for classmates.

### Plumb Library News

• **Just the Facts** – The last selection for the "Just the Facts" Non-Fiction Book group will be *The Big House: A Century in the Life of an American Summer Home*, by George Howe Colt. Faced with the sale of a century-old house on Cape Cod, the author returns for one last stay with his family. This poignant tribute to a home that has seen birthdays, deaths, anniversaries, and weddings for five generations interweaves with this final visit. We will discuss this book on Monday, **June 7,** at 6:30 pm. The non-fiction book group will resume in October.


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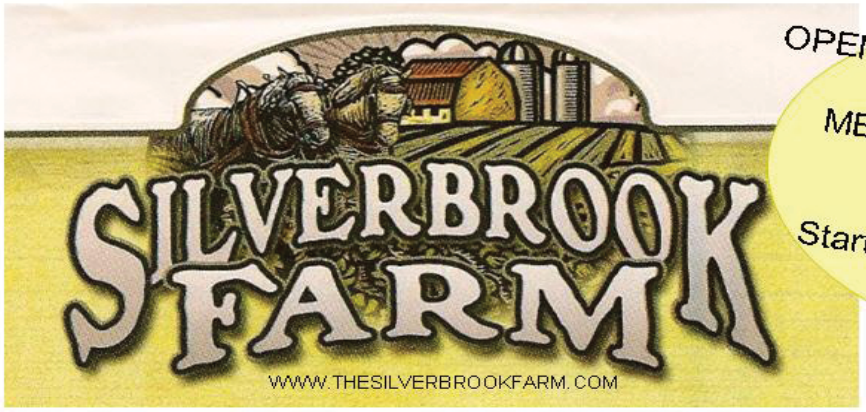
• **Park and Museum Passes** – Now that spring is here, we have passes for outdoor exploration. We have the Massachusetts State Parks parking pass, which allows the holder to park for free for one day at any state park. The library also has a pass to the Heritage Museum and Gardens in Sandwich, the Buttonwood Park Zoo, Roger Williams Park Zoo, and Plimoth Plantation. For those that want to travel farther afield, the library has the RISD Art Museum in Providence, the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum in Boston, and the Higgins Armory in Worcester, all purchased by the Friends of Plumb Library. Call the library or drop by to reserve your pass.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# Breaking Ground

*It was a momentous day in Rochester on May 28, 2010, when the school held a groundbreaking ceremony for the Rochester Memorial School project, scheduled to be completed in the 2010/2011 school year. The $26M project will renovate the existing building and add a considerable addition to accommodate Rochester's growing population. Photos by Anne O'Brien-Kakley.*

*Above: Attendees at the Rochester Memorial School expansion project groundbreaking included RMS School Committee members Tina Rood and Sharon Hartley, Building Committee member Arnie Johnson, State Representative William Straus, RMS principal Jay Ryan, Superintendent Douglas White and Rochester Select Board Chairman Naida Parker.*

*Above: Rochester School Committee Chairperson Tina Rood, left, and Committee member Sharon Hartley, right, beam as they help celebrate the Rochester Memorial School's renovation groundbreaking.*

**These photos and more are available online at www.wanderer.com**

## Mattapoisett Free Public Library

• **Memory Research Expert Speaks** – Dr. Daniel L. Schacter, Chairman of the Psychology Department at Harvard University and author of several books on memory, will speak at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library on Thursday, **June 10** at 7:00 pm. Everyone is welcome to this free program. The library is located at 7 Barstow Street.

Most recently, Dr. Schacter is the author of *The Seven Sins Of Memory: How The Mind Remembers And Forgets*. The publisher describes this book as a "groundbreaking work by one of the world's foremost memory experts, [offering] the first framework that explains common memory vices..."

Dr. Schacter's *The Seven Sins Of Memory* won the William James Book Award and a New York Times Notable Book of the Year. He is also the author of *Stranger Behind The Engram: Of Memory And The Psychology Of Science*; *Searching For Memory: The Brain, The Mind And The Past, And Forgotten Ideas*; and *Neglected Pioneers: Richard Semon And The Story Of Memory*.

Please join others in welcoming this fascinating speaker and researcher to our community. Refreshments will be served.

• **Friday Foreign Film Series** – Join film buffs for a free viewing of the award-winning *All About My Mother* on Friday, **June 18,** at 6:30 pm in the lower Meeting Room. Donations will be accepted for popcorn and soft drinks to benefit the Friends of the Library. This series is intended for adults and is free to attend.

• **Second Cup of Coffee Job Club** – Join others interested in reentering the job market and/or changing careers. Are you unemployed and looking for assistance with your job search? If so, you are welcome to attend these weekly get-togethers to network, share information, and get tips. Be part of the supportive environment at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library on Wednesday mornings each week from 10:00-11:30 am in the downstairs Meeting Room. Topics for discussion will vary depending on the interest and needs of the group. No registration required. Facilitated by job coach Marcella Nelson. No cost to participate.


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• **Computer Tutoring** – Tutors are available to assist patrons who would like to become more comfortable using computers. Whether you are looking for help with searching for library books, Internet, using email, or writing documents, why not sign up for some time with a tutor? One-on-one sessions will get you started! Call the library at 508-758-4171 to schedule an appointment.

• **Book Delivery to Homebound Patrons** – If you, or someone you know, can't get to the library but would love to borrow books, magazines, or DVDs, please call the library and ask for home delivery. A volunteer will contact the patron to find out what materials are of interest, and whether large type is needed. Enjoy a brief visit discussing books and favorite authors! Let the library come to you!

• **Children's Technology Hits a Home Run** – The Children's Department features some of the technology that has been a big hit with adults and teens. Books are available on CD and on Playaways! These are individual MP3 players that hold one book each. Patrons provide their own headphones or can ask for new ear buds at the Children's Circulation Desk. Another great opportunity for early literacy is Tumblebooks, a way for your child to see and hear a picture book read on the computer! By visiting the library's website, www.mattapoisettlibrary.org, and looking for Tumblebooks under Search Our Collections, you and your child can experience many

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# Tri-Town Police Logs

## MARION

***Log highlights May 23-May 29***

•Spring St – Animal complaint
•Converse Rd – Medical emergency
•West Dr – General service
•Point Rd – MVA/hit & run/damage
•Route 195 East – MVA/injury
•Wareham Rd – MVA/property
•Park St – General service
•Indian Cove Rd – Burglar alarm
•Wareham Rd – Motor vehicle stop
•Sippican Harbor – General service
•Dexter Ln – Animal compliant
•Wareham Rd – Vandalism
•Pleasant St – Assist other police dept
•Point Rd – parking violation
•West Dr – General service
•Spring St – Fire alarm
•Wareham Rd – Noise complaint
•Main St – General service
•Front St – D.M.V.
•Allen's Point Rd – Fire alarm
•Jenna Dr – Motor vehicle stop
•Cottage St – parking complaint
•Pinewood Dr – Animal complaint
•Oakdale Ave – Medical emergency
•Front St – MVA/property
•Spring St – Parking violation
•Wareham Rd – Vandalism/past
•Olde Meadow Rd – Abandoned 911 call
•Mooring Rd – Burglar alarm
•Joanne Dr – Motor vehicle stop
•Point Rd – General service
•Wareham Rd – Suspicious person
•Lewis St – Fire alarm
•Creek Rd – Officer wanted
•Delano Rd – Paper service
•Jenna Dr – Youths in street
•Gifford's Corner Rd – Disturbance/family
•Spring St – Larceny/past
•Wareham Red – Vandalism/past
•Wilson Rd – Fire alarm
•Delano Rd – Medical emergency
•Point Rd – Motor vehicle stop
•Mill St – Burglar alarm
•Parkway Ln – paper service

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***Police logs not available***

## ROCHESTER

***Log highlights May 23-May 29***

•Walnut Plain Rd – Fire/auto
•North Ave – Motor vehicle stop
•Onset Ave – Animal control
•Mendell Rd – Animal control
•Rte 105 – Disabled MV
•Dexter Ln – Domestic disturbance
•Rte 105 – Missing person
•Hartley Rd – Assist citizen
•Snipatuit Rd – Motor vehicle stop
•Dexter Ln – Larceny/forgery/fraud
•New Bedford Rd – Erratic operation
•Robinson Rd – Animal control
•North Ave – Officer wanted
•Vaughn Hill Rd – Highway matter
•Neck Rd – Suspicious MV
•Pine St – Ambulance request
•Mary's Pond Rd – Property found/lost/recovered
•Cushman Rd – Suspicious MV
•Dexter Ln – Utilities
•Walnut Plain Rd – Health/welfare
•Bumpy Ln – Alarm, burglar
•Neck Rd – Utilities
•Constitution Way – Alarm, heat
•Snipatuit Rd – Domestic disturbance
•North Ave – Animal control
•Taber Ln – Larceny/forgery/fraud
•Taber Ln – Complaint
•Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
•Duhamel Dr – Domestic disturbance
•Waterworks – Suspicious MV
•Hartley Rd – MV stop
•North Ave – Domestic disturbance
•North Ave – Motor vehicle stop
•Dexter Ln – Trespass
•Noble Rd – Keep the peace
•Cushman Rd – Animal control
•Porter Rd – Ambulance request
•Cranberry Rd – Erratic operation
•Hartley Rd – Motor vehicle stop
•North Ave – Fire, auto
•New Bedford Rd – Motor vehicle stoop
•Sparrow Ln – Message delivery
•Walnut Plain Rd – Animal control

# Local Lunch Menus

### COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday May 31: Closed-Memorial Day
Tuesday June 1: Swedish meatballs, mashed potatoes, green beans, dinner roll, peaches
Wednesday June 2: Herb baked chicken, confetti rice, California blend veg, whole wheat bread, cookie, Diet: graham waffle
Thursday June 3: BBQ Beef rib, O'Brien potatoes, mixed veg, fruit muffin, fresh fruit
Friday June 4: Tuna noodle casserole, peas, whole-wheat roll, mandarin oranges

### MATTAPOISETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS CENTER SCHOOL

Monday May 31: Closed-Memorial Day
Tuesday June 1: Assorted breakfast items, fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday June 2: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday June 3: Soup, grilled cheese, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk
Friday June 4: Stuffed crust pizza, salad, blueberries, choice of milk

### OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday May 31: Closed-Memorial Day
Tuesday June 1: Grilled cheese, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday June 2: Spaghetti w/ meat balls, salad, bread stick, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday June 3: Turkey dinner, fruit, choice of milk
Friday June 4: Stuffed crust pizza, salad, blueberries, choice of milk

### OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Monday May 31: Closed-Memorial Day
Tuesday June 1: Rib B Que, scalloped potatoes, corn on the cob, pineapples, choice of milk
Wednesday June 2: Shepard's pie, ground beef, mashed potato, corn, gravy, cake, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday June 3: Spicy chicken patty on a roll, fries, vegetable, choice of milk
Friday June 4: Cheese or chicken quesadillas, blueberries, choice of milk

### ROCHESTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Monday May 31: Closed-Memorial Day
Tuesday June 1: Quesadillas or Rib B Que, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday June 2: Ham & cheese wrap, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday June 3: Fish sticks or tuna sandwich, vegetable, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Friday June 4: English muffin pizza, salad, fruit, choice of milk

### SIPPICAN SCHOOL, MARION

Monday May 31: Closed-Memorial Day
Tuesday June 1: Chicken nuggets, vegetable, fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday June 2: Grilled cheese, salad, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday June 3: Hamburg w/ wo cheese, vegetable, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Friday June 4: Stuffed crust pizza, salad, fruit, choice of milk

### OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL

Monday May 31: Closed-Memorial Day
Tuesday June 1: Turkey sandwich, fries, soup, cranberry sauce, carrots, peaches
Wednesday June 2: Scrambled eggs, sausage, hash brown, OJ, mixed fruit
Thursday June 3: American chop suey, green beans, apple slices
Friday June 4: Pizza, salad, fruit

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### Tri - Town Basketball Camp

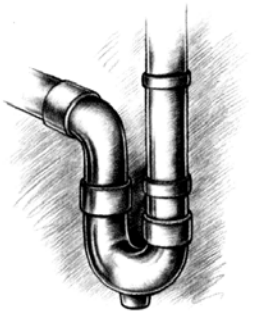
The Tri-Town Basketball Camp, under the direction of Coach Rick Regan, will again be held this summer at the Old Rochester Regional High School gymnasium. The camp is for boys and girls grades 4 through 9 from Mattapoisett, Marion, and Rochester. This is the fourteenth year the Tri-Town Basketball Camp has been under the direction of Coach Regan. He has coached at both Old Rochester Regional Senior and Junior High School for different levels of boys and girls as well as AAU during his sixteen year coaching career. Presently, he is the ORR Girls JV coach.

The **first** session is for boys and will be held from Monday, **July 12,** to Thursday, **July 15**. Boys presently in grades 4, 5, and 6 will attend from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Boys presently in grades 7, 8, and 9 will attend from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

The **second** session is for girls and will be held from Monday, **July 19,** to Thursday, **July 22**. Girls presently in grades 4, 5 and 6 will attend from 9:00 to 12:00 pm. Girls presently in grades 7, 8 and 9 will attend from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

The camp focuses on the fundamentals and development of shooting, passing, dribbling, ball handling, rebounding, post play, as well as individual and team defense. The camp counselors who assist Coach Regan will be former and current players from Old Rochester as well as other local area coaches.

Registration forms were recently distributed to the local schools early in April but can also be obtained through Coach Regan's camp website: http://web.me.com/rick.regan. The cost of the camp is $115 per session. Space is available in all sessions at this time, but spots will fill quickly especially in the boys morning session. Please send in your registration form and payment as soon as possible. For more information or questions, please email Coach Regan at coachregan3@gmail.com.



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# Super Crossword

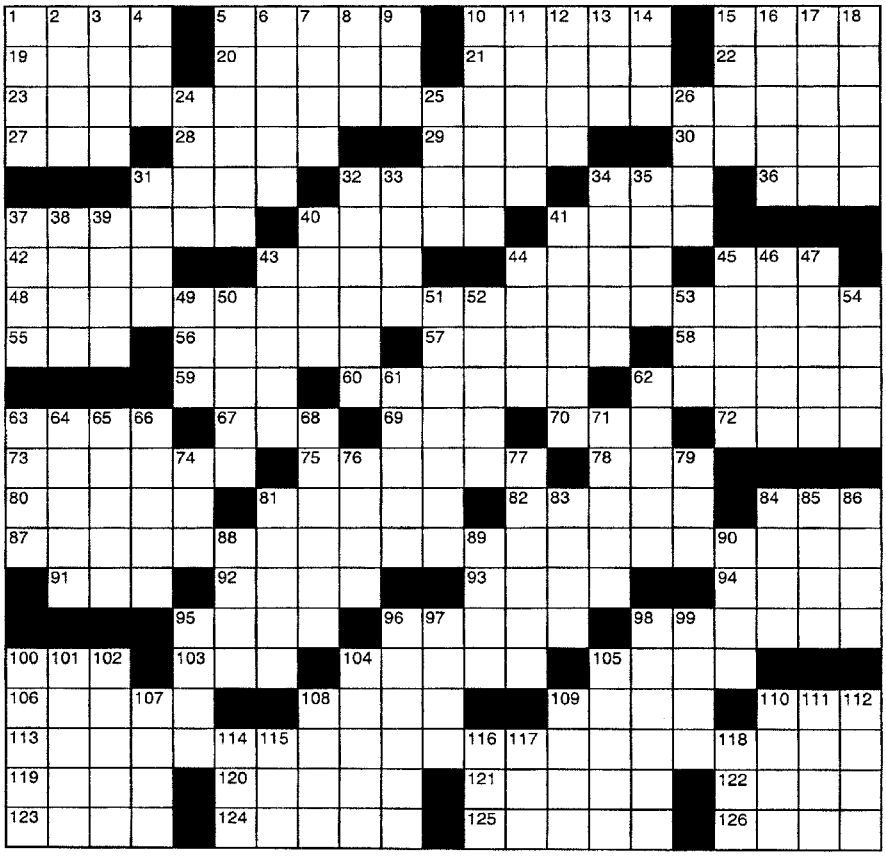
## BEFORE AND AFTER

**ACROSS**

**1** Warts and all
**5** Model Beverly
**10** Desert growth
**15** 27th president
**19** Comic Carvey
**20** Fills the hold
**21** TV's "Full —"
**22** Sutherland solo
**23** HEAD STARTS
**27** Dogpatch's Daisy —
**28** Patriot Nathan
**29** Sherwood sight
**30** Moscow moola
**31** Workbench attachment
**32** Croce's Mr. Brown
**34** Expert
**36** Writer Rand
**37** Medical measure
**40** Chalice accessory
**41** Hammer feature
**42** "— go bragh!"
**43** Pres. Bush, e.g.
**44** Ubiquitous infinitive
**45** Loser's locale
**48** PRE SETS
**55** Make wine divine
**56** Diminish
**57** Tic
**58** Bob of 21 Across
**59** — polloi
**60** Join the leisure class?
**62** Let up
**63** "SNL" bit
**67** "Gross!"
**69** "Marathon —" ('76 film)
**70** Unduly
**72** "Como — usted?"
**73** Most docile
**75** Joins forces
**78** Lear, to Cordelia
**80** Missouri mountain range
**81** Jergens or Astaire
**82** Intimate
**84** — kwon do
**87** HAPPY ENDINGS
**91** Long or Peeples
**92** Caffeine effect
**93** "Trinity" author
**94** A speck with wings
**95** Connecticut campus
**96** Cardiff's country
**98** French philosopher
**100** Light touch
**103** Silence a squeaker
**104** He had a golden touch
**105** Insect stage
**106** Soothe
**108** Welles role
**109** Clothing
**110** Sound like a hound
**113** GRAND FINALES
**119** Geraint's lady
**120** Crazy as —
**121** Actress Wither-spoon
**122** At any time
**123** Contradict
**124** Neon —
**125** Mideast nation
**126** "Saving Private —" ('98 film)

**DOWN**

**1** Eliot's "— Bede"
**2** Writer Paretsky
**3** Memo start
**4** — Tome
**5** Delight
**6** Scout rank
**7** Add fringe
**8** Aspin or Paul
**9** Sixth sense
**10** Rose of —
**11** Actor Wendell
**12** Discour-teous
**13** Take advan-tage of
**14** "Golden Girl" Arthur
**15** Forbidden
**16** Antilles isle
**17** Stable youngster
**18** Spoken for
**24** British pol
**25** Raison d'—
**26** Sleuth Nancy
**31** Delivery trucks
**32** Cavalry soldier
**33** Decorate glass
**34** Philatelist's purchase
**35** Columnist Herb
**37** — vu
**38** North-western st.
**39** Location
**40** Brad of "The Mexican"
**41** Pamper
**43** Cook Claiborne
**44** Obsolete title
**45** Musty
**46** Summons electron-ically
**47** Actor's actor?
**49** — -jongg
**50** Approxi-mately
**51** They're what's left
**52** Book part
**53** Vane dir.
**54** Sundance's sweetie
**61** Post or Dickinson
**62** Sunday supper
**63** Stash
**64** "On the Waterfront" director
**65** Japanese porcelain
**66** — firma
**68** Act like Vikings?
**71** Effluvia
**74** Enjoy the Alps
**76** Uncluttered
**77** A great many
**79** Strauss' "— Rosen--kavalier"
**81** On — (doing great)
**83** Baseball's Aparicio
**84** Add color
**85** Fruit-tree spray
**86** Punta del —
**88** California resort
**89** A shake in the grass?
**90** Taj town
**95** Mr. Ma
**96** Actress Ryder
**97** 125 Across' city
**98** Unexpected
**99** Lhasa —
**100** Sealed
**101** Skirt shape
**102** Unadorned
**104** Hardy's "The — of Caster-bridge"
**105** Vital sign
**107** He's Devine
**108** It may be square
**109** See 118 Down
**110** Bunch of birds
**111** Bailiwick
**112** Knitter's need
**114** Purrfect pet?
**115** Barley beverage
**116** Summon mommy
**117** Bray beginning
**118** With 109 Down, a way to pay



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# SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Your Aries self-esteem level is high, as is your impatience to see more action come your way in the workplace. Good news, Lamb: It could start to happen sooner than you think.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Changing things now could upset a lot of people. But if you feel you're acting because you believe it's the right thing to do, others will understand and even come to support you.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A change of mind might not necessarily be a change of heart. You still want to go ahead with your plans, but you might see a better way to make them happen. So go for it.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) An old business dispute could re-emerge and possibly affect upcoming negotiations. Consider opening up the situation to include suggestions from others on both sides of the issue.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Some Leos and Leonas might find it somewhat difficult to get their ideas accepted or even considered. But that's only for a while. Things will soon return to the way you like them.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) The pace seems to be slowing down from the hectic on-the-job run you recently enjoyed. But be assured that you're still in the race to pick up new workplace-related goodies.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Seasonal changes create opportunities for busy Librans. However, be sure to balance your workload with your personal life so that you don't overdo it on one end or the other.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A former critic could make a surprise turnaround and become a supporter. But if your Scorpion sense suspects a questionable motive, who are the rest of us to doubt it?

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Data on a new project seems less than dependable. But it might turn out to be just the opposite. Consult with someone who knows how you might best be able to check it out.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Capricorneans face many decisions this week, with the Sea Goat's kids rating high on the consideration scale, especially regarding vacations and upcoming school matters.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Showing that you care is what Aquarians do so well. It's your very special skill. And this week, you'll have several chances to show off that gift for a very special person. Good luck.

PISCES (February 19 to March 21) That streak of Piscean wariness should serve you well this week should you be among those who come up against a slippery character offering a fishy deal with nothing to back it up.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have an artist's sense of how to help others see, as you do, the beautiful things about the world.

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## 2010 Tri-Town Youth Summer Sailing

Sign-ups are underway for the fourth annual season of the William E. Mee Youth Summer Sailing Program in Mattapoisett. The program is open to students ages 6 to 13 (currently attending eighth grade) who are residents of Mattapoisett, Marion or Rochester, summer residents, or members of Mattapoisett Community Sailing Association. The cost of each two-week session is $365 per student. Financial aid is available.

Classes will be held mornings from 8:30 to 11:30 am for beginners and junior sailors (ages six to eight), and afternoons from 12:30 to 3:30 for more experienced sailors. Session three will also offer a race skills program in the afternoon. Each class is tailored to fit the needs and sailing skill level of the student. Classes are scheduled in two-week sessions as follows:

- Session 1: **July 5 through July 16**
- Session 2: **July 19 through July 30**
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## Camp Angel Wings

Southcoast Home Care, Hospice and Palliative Care and Infusion Services, will be hosting the eighth annual Camp Angel Wings. This is an exciting, fun-filled, two-day camp experience for children and teens, ages five through 17, who are grieving the loss of a loved one. It will be held **July 24 and 25** from 9:00 am to 4:30 pm. Sign-in starts at 8:30 am.

Camp Angel Wings provides interactive activities that include music, swimming, arts and crafts, rock climbing and archery designed to reduce the sense of isolation while improving self-esteem for children and teens who share like experiences in grief.

Registrations are now being accepted. For more information, or to register, please call Jo-Ann Richard at 508-984-0277 or go online to www.southcoast.org/home/camp.html to download a form.

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A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 at 7:05 PM in the Mattapoisett Town Hall 1st floor Conference Room, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA upon the application of Real Ventures Investments LLC d/b/a The South Coast Local, 81 Fairhaven Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 for a transfer of a on premise wine and malt liquor license from Sweet Memories d/b/a The Nest Diner, 81 Fairhaven Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. Manager of Record to be Sherry A. Gibson. Anyone wishing to make comment may do so by attending this public meeting.
Jordan C. Collyer, Chairman
Paul A. Silva, Vice Chairman
George Randall, Clerk 05/27, 06/03

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LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
Anyone interested in making a proposal to use the Town Beach parking lot and the Concession at the Old Hammondtown Ball Fields can pick up a copy of the "criteria for use" at the Selectmen's Office at 16 Main Street. Questions can be addressed by Michael Gagne', Town Administrator at (508) 758-4100 Ext 220.
Deadline for Proposals will be 12 noon at June 18, 2010
Board of Selectmen 06/03

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LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF ROCHESTER
SOIL BOARD
The Town of Rochester hereby gives notice that the Soil Board will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, June 16, 2010 at 7:00 PM in the Rochester Town Hall, One Constitution Way, Rochester regarding a soil removal application by Beaton's Inc. dated May 27, 2010 for a multi-year cranberry bog upgrade program.
A copy of the application is on file at the Rochester Town Hall Annex, 37 Marion Road and may be reviewed between the hours of 9:00 - 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.
Gary Florindo, Chairman 06/03, 06/10

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LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
BOARD OF APPEALS
Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following applications:

Application of John Menezes of 20 Randall Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 3 Church Street Extension. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under Section 5.8.1.3.2 to allow the display of retail sheds as well as 2 parking spaces for U-Haul vehicles at the above property. The property is further described as Plat 8, Lot 113 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, June 17, 2010 at 6:00 PM #1179

Application of 6 Water Street, LLC, James Kay, Manager of 7 Mechanic Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 6 Water Street. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit to amend a previous Board of Appeals Decision #760 in order to allow two (2) commercial occupants on the first floor. The property is further described as Plat 9, Lot 182 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, June 17, 2010 at 6:15 PM #1180
Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.
Jeffrey R. Chase, Chairperson
Susan Akin
Paul Milott
Mary Anne Brogan
Norman Lyonnais 06/03, 06/10

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LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MARION
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
CASE #639 The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 PM on Thursday, June 17, 2010 in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of Baywatch Realty Trust for relief from an action by the Building Commissioner; specifically to overturn a Cease and Desist Order issued by the Building Commissioner on March 26, 2010. The property, located on Front Street, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 24 as Lots 27, 28 and 29.
Robert D. Wedge, Chairman 06/03, 06/10

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Sunday June 6, 2010
6:30 AM – Words of Peace
7:00 AM – Second Coming Church
8:00 AM – New Testament Church of Cedarville
9:00 AM – Music and the Spoken Word
9:30 AM – The First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:00 AM – Physician Focus
11:30 AM – White House Chronicles
12:30 PM – The Tri-Town Business Association Show
2:00 PM – Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM – The First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM – Green Sense
5:00 PM - Taking Flight - The Birds of John Audubon
7:00 PM - The Tri-Town Business Association Show
8:00 PM – The Sippican Historical Society Presents
9:30 PM – ORCTV Community Announcements
11:30 PM – Words of Peace
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Monday June 7, 2010
8:00 AM – Senior Scene
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:30 AM – Fox Robbins Business Show
10:00 AM – Community Arts in Action
10:30 AM – Second Act
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
3:00 PM – Words of Peace
3:30 PM - Taking Flight - The Birds of John Audubon
4:00 PM - Explore
6:00 PM – Become Your Own Gym
7:30 PM – Living Healthy – with Jackie Bell
8:00 PM – Sharing Miracles
8:30 PM – Physician's Focus
9:30 PM – Around BCC
10:00 PM - Smart Boating
10:30 PM – Life Matters
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Tuesday June 8, 2010
8:00 AM – Go Fish with Dan Kenny
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Graceful Aging
9:30 AM – ORCTV's Non Profit Highlights
10:00 AM - Veterans Advocate with Priscilla Fanseca
10:30 AM – The Tri-Town Business Association Show
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – The Wanderer Presents
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
3:00 PM – ORCTV Community Announcements
5:00 PM – The Harpoon Harmonizers
7:00 PM – Senior Scene
7:30 PM - ORCTV's Nonprofit Highlights
8:00 PM – Inside ORCTV
8:30 PM – The Tri-Town Business Association Show
9:00 PM – Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
10:30 PM - Veterans Advocate with Priscilla Fanseca
Midnight – Midnite Mausoleum

Wednesday June 9, 2010
8:00 AM – Caring, Sharing Offering Hope
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Gardening Rhythms
9:30 AM – The Dr. Is In
10:00 AM – Cooking With Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy – with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
4:00 PM – Midweek Politics with David Pakman
5:00 PM – Smart Boating
5:30 PM – Veterans Advocate with Priscilla Fanseca
6:00 PM – Become Your Own Gym
7:00 PM – White House Chronicle
7:30 PM - Fox Robbins Business Show
8:00 PM – Midweek Politics with David Pakman
10:30 PM – Life Matters
11:00 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
Midnight – Midnight Movie
1:30 AM – Sci-Fi Journal

**Thursday June 10, 2010**
8:00 PM – Senior Scene
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - ORCTV Community Announcements
10:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
5:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
6:30 PM – Inside ORCTV
7:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM – The Cooking Hour
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM – Music
Midnight – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM – Midnight Mausoleum

**Friday June 11, 2010**
8:00 AM – ORCTV Non-Profit Highlights
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Gardening Rhythms
9:30 AM – Fox Robbins Business Show
10:00 AM – Cooking With Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy – with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
3:00 PM - ORR K-12 Regionalization Meeting May 11, 2010
5:00 PM – Taking Flight - The Birds of John Audubon
6:00 PM – Become Your Own Gym
7:00 PM – Fox Robbins Business Show
7:30 PM – Living Healthy – with Jackie Bell
8:00 PM – Physician Focus – Diabetes Special
10:00 PM – Taking Flight - The Birds of John Audubon
10:30 PM - ORCTV's Non Profit Highlights
11:00 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM - Free Minds TV
Midnight – Friday Night at the Drive-In - Midnight Movies

**Saturday June 12, 2009**
8:00 AM – Classic Cartoon Festival
10:30 AM – NASA 360
11:00 AM – Expedition New England
11:30 AM – Kids a Cookin'
Noon – Inside ORCTV
12:30 PM – Around BCC
1:00 PM – Go Fish with Dan Kenny
1:30 PM – The Harpoon Harmonizers
3:00 PM – Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
7:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM – The Cooking Hour
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM – Music Hour
Midnight – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - Saturday Fright Special

**MARION GOVERNMENT**
**Comcast Channel 95**
**Verizon Channel 39**
**Daily Schedule**
8:30 AM – Latest School Committee Meeting
11:00 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM - Latest School Committee Meeting
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

**ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT**
**Comcast Channel 95**
**Verizon Channel 40**
**Daily Schedule**
8:00 AM – Latest School Committee Meeting
10:30 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM – Latest School Committee Meeting
6:30 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting

**EDUCATION CHANNEL**
**Comcast Channel 18**
**Verizon Channel 37**
**Daily Schedule**
8:00 AM – Upper Cape Tech Presents – Careers
8:30 AM - Center School - Mrs. Kelley's First Grade Class - Whales
8:45 AM – Life After ORR
9:30 PM – Tom Bliss Presents – NBSYO and the ORR Jazz Ensemble
10:30 AM – ORRJHS – Riddle Poetry
11:00 AM – ORRHS 2010 Pops Concert
12:35 PM – RMS Presents – The Merchant of Venice
2:00 PM – RMS - 3-Mat Readers' Theater
3:10 PM – 2010 MICCA Festival
3:20 PM - Center School - Environment
3:30 PM – ORRHS Video Projects – Music Videos
4:30 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
5:00 PM – ORR K-12 Regionalization Meeting May 11, 2010
6:45 PM - Center School - Mrs. Kelley's First Grade Class - Whales
7:00 PM – ORRHS 2010 Pops Concert
9:00 PM – Upper Cape Tech Presents – Careers
9:15 PM - Center School - Mrs. Kelley's First Grade Class - Whales
9:30 PM – RMS - 3-Mat Readers' Theater
10:40 PM - Center School – Environment
10:50 PM - 2010 MICCA Festival
11:00 PM - ORRJHS – Riddle Poetry

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### Mattapoisett Road Race News

The Mattapoisett Road Race Committee recently met to finalize preparations for its' 40th five-mile run to be held Saturday, **July 3**, 2010. Members reaffirmed their traditional commitment to have all proceeds from the race awarded to graduating seniors from ORR high school who have been involved with running.

This year the race committee will be recognizing the most spirited spectators. Every year, spectators have been a huge component of the race with their cheering, their decoration, their playing of music and their displaying of t-shirts. To honor this enthusiasm, the committee at the completion of the race will award the "most spirited spectator site".

Sadly, this will be the last year that Danny and Holly White will be chairing the committee. During their 10-year tenure as directors, the Road Race has doubled the number of runners to approximately 1200 participants, has increased the number of sponsors and volunteers, and has consistently given seven to 10, $1,000 awards each year to ORRHS students. Danny and Holly have worked countless hours throughout the years to make this a successful event and their leadership will be greatly missed.

Community merchants continue to be generous in their support with donations or sponsors of t-shirts. Derek DeCosta, will again do warm-ups/stretches for the runners at Shipyard Park and this year he will include cool downs for participants. Dan Briand, who will be running his 40th Mattapoisett Road Race, will proudly wear the number 40 race shirt!

More information and to register, visit: www.mattapoisettroadrace.com

### Marion Natural History Museum News

• **Rockets** – For our last afternoon program of this school year we are offering a Rockets program again on **June 9**. Each child will have his/her own rocket with motor to assemble and set off. Cost for this program is $20.00/participant. Please submit payment to Marion Natural History Museum to hold your child's spot. Hours for this program are from 3:30 to 5:30 pm.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday June 14, 2010 at 6:30 PM in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by RCR, LLC, PO Box 79416, Dartmouth, MA 02747. The proposed project is to contruct a single family dwelling. The project is located a 2 Beeech Tree Lane and is further identified as Lot 14 on Assessor Map 23A.
Conservation Commission 06/03

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LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday June 14, 2010 at 6:30 PM in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Robert T. & Karen C. Keenan, 7 Edmunds Rd, Wellesley, MA 02481. The proposed project is to repair foundation piers and construct new foundation walls for addition to existing house located within buffer zone of coastal bank and within 100-year floodplain. The project is located a 63 Mattapoisett Neck Road and is further identified as Lot 12 on Assessor Map 12.
Conservation Commission 06/03

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LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, June 14, 2010 at 6:30 PM in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by Peter J. & Jonathan B. Lawrence.
The Applicants request that the Conservation Commission confirm that the line of the Bordering Vegetated Wetland as shown on the submitted Site Plan is accurately depicted.
The project is located on Shawmut Road and Mattakisett Road and is further identified as Lots #109 and #109A on Mattapoisett Assessors Map #15A.
Conservation Commission 06/03

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SPORTS QUIZ
By Chris Richcreek

1. Name three major-league career categories in which Rickey Henderson is ranked first.
2. Who was the only person to manage both the A's and the Royals in Kansas City?
3. Against which team in 1964 did Cleveland's Jim Brown become the first player to rush for more than 10,000 yards during his NFL career?
4. When was the last time before 2009 that the University of Portland men's basketball team was ranked in The Associated Press' Top 25?
5. How many times did NHL star Michael Peca win the Selke Trophy (top defensive forward)?
6. Who was the last Dutch skater before Mark Tuitert in 2010 to win the Olympic men's 1,500-meter speedskating event?

Answers
1. Stolen bases (1,406), runs scored (2,295) and leadoff home runs (81).
2. Joe Gordon (Athletics, 1961; Royals, 1969).
3. The Pittsburgh Steelers.
4. It was February of 1959.
5. Twice (1997 and 2002).
6. Ard Schenk, in 1972.

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All programs will be held **July 5 to 16**, and again **August 2 to 13** from 9:00 am to noon. To register please go to www.marionmuseum.org and submit registration with payment to the Marion Natural History Museum, P.O. Box 644, Marion, MA 02738, or pick up a registration form in the entryway to the Elizabeth Taber Library, 8 Spring Street, Marion.

## Descendants of Whaling Masters Meeting

**Annual Meeting** – The Annual Meeting of the Descendants of Whaling Masters will be held on Saturday, **June 12**, at The Wamsutta Club, 427 County Street in New Bedford. Social hour is 12:00 to 1:00 pm, with luncheon, a business meeting and election of officers following. $25 per person, and this includes lunch – guests welcome. For more information and to make reservations, call William Potter, Jr. at 508-994-0961 by June 7.

The program will be presented by DWM members Bruce and Melanie Demoranville, who will share beautiful images and fascinating memories of their recent vacation cruising the waters and visiting the whaling ports of New

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## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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### Be Bug Smart this Summer Season

Summer is here and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health wants people to stay safe and healthy as they enjoy the summer months. While colds and flu are more common during the winter, there are some infections that you are more likely to encounter in the summer.

**Watch Out for Ticks –** Lyme disease, spread to people and animals when they are bitten by an infected deer tick, is the most common tickborne disease in Massachusetts. In 2009, there were about 4,000 cases. The disease can cause serious complications if it is not recognized and treated early. Deer ticks can also carry germs that cause other diseases such as babesiosis and anaplasmosis. Although much less common, these diseases are very serious. To prevent getting diseases transmitted by ticks, you should:

• Use a repellent with DEET according to the directions on the product label

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• Check yourself, your children and your pets for ticks once a day, if you have been anywhere there might be ticks. Favorite tick places are armpits, hairline, groin, legs, thighs, or in and behind the ears. Tick checks are an important way of preventing infection. Remove any attached tick you find as soon as possible with a fine point tweezers, grasping the tick as close to the skin as possible and pulling straight out with steady pressure. Getting the tick off within 24-36 hours of its attachment is very effective in preventing infection.

• Be aware of the early symptoms of Lyme disease such as a rash at the site of the tick bite and/or flu-like symptoms, and seek medical advice if you develop them.

**Reduce Mosquito Bites** – In Massachusetts, West Nile virus (WNV) and eastern equine encephalitis (EEE) virus are germs people may get if they are bitten by an infected mosquito. Most human cases of WNV and EEE occur in late summer and early fall. Not everyone infected with WNV will get sick but those over 50 are at greater risk for serious disease. EEE is a rare but very serious disease that can affect anyone. It's not too early to get into good mosquito-bite prevention habits that include:

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• Removing any standing water around your home. Mosquitoes will begin to breed in any puddle or standing water that lasts for more than four days. Check gutters ceramic pots, trash cans, recycling containers, old tires, wading pools, bird baths, etc.

**Avoid Contact with Wild and Unfamiliar Animals** – Rabies is a fatal viral infection now most often found in raccoons, skunks, foxes, bats. It is spread to domestic animals or humans through contact with an infected animal's saliva, usually through a bite or scratch. Bats living inside houses are of particular concern. To avoid possible exposure to rabies:

• Enjoy wild and stray animals from a distance.

• Be sure your dog, cat or ferret has up-to-date rabies vaccinations.

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More information on any of these topics is available on the Massachusetts Department of Public Health's website at www.mass.gov/dph

### Rotch-Jones-Duff French Fundraiser

Nonquitt is the location for this year's Rotch-Jones-Duff (RJD) Dinner Dance fundraiser on **June 19**, but the state-of-mind will be decidedly French. From the formal parterre entry garden, to a French wine list and a menu created by Plantation Catering of Newport, everything will be trés chic.

Planters were built to hold topiary trees and plant material for a formal entry garden outside the tent as well as for use in the garden theme of the interior. Live topiary and ivy centerpieces for the tables compliment the French garden look.

The Dinner Dance is the Museum's most important annual fundraiser. It underwrites the cost of educational programming offered to more than 2,000 area students annually, free of charge. "Attending the dance is an opportunity to have a wonderful evening, and at the same time, know that you are making a difference for area students," notes Museum Director Kate Corkum.

One of the highlights of the evening is the Silent Auction. Bidders will find a broad range of offerings. Categories include items for the home, garden, family, relaxation, getaways, gift certificates, consultations—the list is endless. The Super Silent Auction offerings include a house in Southwestern France, the Cotswolds, and St. Miguel de Allende Mexico, in addition to a Pied-a-terre in Paris, round trip tickets on Southwest Air, and much more!

So, make sure you purchase a ticket and don't miss this chance to dance, eat and shop in France! The evening includes a Cocktail Reception (open bar), dinner, dessert buffet, dancing to Mac Chrupcala Band and, of course, the fabulous Silent Auction. Tickets levels are Table Host Tickets: $1,650 (up to 10), Benefactor Tickets (2): $750, Sponsor Tickets (2): $500 and Individual Tickets: $165 ($100 tax deductible). Reserve on line at www.rjdmuseum.org or call 508-997-1401.

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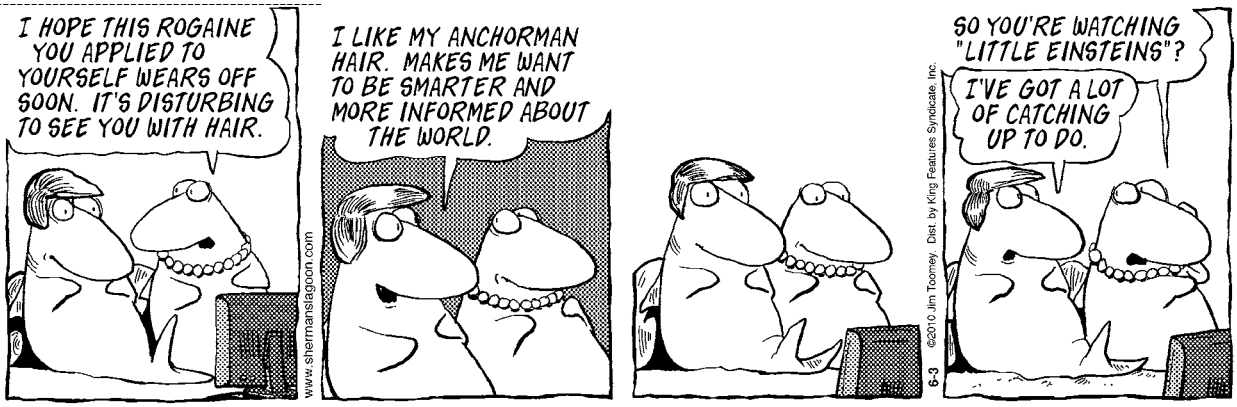
**by J.P. Toomey**



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## Habitat For Cats Adoption Day

Habitat for Cats is holding a Cat/Kitten Adoption Day on Sunday, **June 13,** from 12:00 to 3:00 pm at 1322 Ashley Blvd in New Bedford. All cats and kittens are spayed and neutered, inoculated, and have tested negative for feline leukemia. Cats have received medical and foster care valued at $200 more. Adoption fee is $85. Kittens five months and younger are $100. Adoption application and contract are required. Pets must travel in a pet carrier. Bring a carrier or buy one at adoption day. Call 508-961-2287 for more information, or visit www.HabitatforCats.org.

## Collection and Paper Shred Day at the Y

On Saturday, **June 12**, the Gleason Family YMCA is sponsoring its 3rd Annual Collection and Paper Shred Day. For a small fee, the public can responsibly dispose of old computers, air conditioners, microwaves, small appliances, TVs and paper. Trucks will be parked at the Gleason Family YMCA from 9:00 am until 12:00 noon. The fee for electronics, air conditioners, small appliances and microwaves is $5, and TVs is $15. The charge for the paper shredding is $5 per box (up to 30 pounds each). Participants are welcome to watch the destruction of their boxes of paper. Paper clips and staples do not need to be removed, but paper should be removed from folders and binders. Shredded paper will be recycled into new products.

For more information, call the Gleason Family YMCA at 508-295-9622. Proceeds from this Collection Day benefit the Gleason Family YMCA Annual Fund, which provides camp experiences and memberships to those that cannot otherwise afford the YMCA experience.

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| Buyer(s) | Seller(s) | Address | City | Date | Price |
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| Deutsche Bank Natl T Co | Nye, Joanne Marie<br>Deutsche Bank Natl T Co | 720 Mill St | Marion | 05/20/2010 | 174678 |
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| Hunt, Harry Carter<br>Hunt, Tonja Diane | Urquhart, Preston C<br>Urquhart, Mary E | 5 Hitching Post Rd | Mattapoisett | 05/17/2010 | 462500 |
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| Dewalt, Peter M | Levine, Peter M<br>Levine, Kathleen | 28 Pine Island Rd | Mattapoisett | 05/14/2010 | 370000 |
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| Date | Day | High a.m. | High p.m. | Low a.m. | Low p.m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| June 3: | Thurs. | 1:00 | 1:29 | 6:27 | 6:47 |
| June 4: | Fri. | 1:44 | 2:14 | 7:16 | 7:57 |
| June 5: | Sat. | 2:28 | 2:59 | 8:11 | 9:17 |
| June 6: | Sun. | 3:17 | 3:48 | 9:07 | 10:19 |
| June 7: | Mon. | 4:11 | 4:39 | 9:57 | 11:10 |
| June 8: | Tues. | 5:07 | 5:31 | 10:44 | 11:56 |
| June 9: | Wed. | 6:01 | 6:21 | 11:28 | . . . |
| June 10: | Thurs. | 6:53 | 7:11 | 12:43 | 12:14 |
| June 11: | Fri. | 7:40 | 7:57 | 1:29 | 12:59 |
| June 12: | Sat. | 8:28 | 8:45 | 2:17 | 1:47 |
| June 13: | Sun. | 9:17 | 9:34 | 3:04 | 2:36 |
| June 14: | Mon. | 10:07 | 10:25 | 3:50 | 3:27 |
| June 15: | Tues. | 11:00 | 11:18 | 4:33 | 4:19 |
| June 16: | Wed. | 11:54 | . . . | 5:17 | 5:14 |
| June 17: | Thurs. | 12:12 | 12:49 | 6:03 | 6:14 |
| June 18: | Fri. | 1:08 | 1:45 | 6:54 | 7:28 |
| June 19: | Sat. | 2:04 | 2:42 | 7:52 | 9:03 |
| June 20: | Sun. | 3:02 | 3:41 | 8:55 | 10:23 |

**Phases of the Moon**

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|---|---|
| **Last Quarter** | June 4th |
| **New Moon** | June 12th |
| **First Quarter** | June 19th |
| **Full Moon** | June 26th |

## I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

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**In the May 27 issue the Aardvark was on page 42!**

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